NOTE

The February 1986 report concludes investigation No. 332-153, Monthly Report on Selected Steel Industry Data.

## Preface

On February 16, 1983, at the request of the Subcommittee on Trade, Committee on Ways and Means, U.S. House of Representatives, and in accordance with the provisions of section 332(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1332(b)), the United States International Trade Commission instituted investigation No. 332-153, Monthly Report on Selected Steel Industry Data. The purpose of the report is to gather and compile data on the U.S. steel industry from public sources and report such data to the subcommittee on a monthly basis through December 1985.

On October 21, 1982, the Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products between the European Coal and Steel Community and the United States (the Arrangement) became effective. The text of the Arrangement is published in the Federal Register of October 29, 1982 (47 F.R. 49060). Under the terms of the Arrangement, exports of certain steel products from the European Community to the United States are to be limited to a percentage of apparent U.S. consumption from November 1, 1982, through December 31, 1985. The 15 steel products subject to the Arrangement (for which a concordance between shipment, import, and export data was developed), the 10 product categories into which they are grouped, and the percentages of apparent consumption to which exports are to be limited are as follows:

1. Hot-rolled sheet and strip (6.81 percent):
   - Hot-rolled carbon sheet and strip
   - Hot-rolled alloy sheet and strip

2. Cold-rolled sheet (5.11 percent):
   - Cold-rolled carbon sheet
   - Cold-rolled alloy sheet

3. Plate (5.36 percent):
   - Carbon plate
   - Alloy plate

4. Structurals (9.91 percent):
   - Carbon structural shapes
   - Alloy structural shapes

5. Wire rod (4.29 percent):
   - Carbon wire rod

6. Hot-rolled bar (2.38 percent):
   - Hot-rolled carbon bar
   - Hot-rolled alloy bar

7. Coated sheet (3.27 percent):
   - Carbon and alloy coated sheet and terne plate and sheet

8. Tin plate (2.20 percent):
   - Tin plate

9. Rails (8.90 percent):
   - Carbon and alloy rails

10. Sheet piling (21.85 percent):
    - Carbon and alloy sheet piling.

This monthly report includes data on steel shipments, imports, exports, apparent consumption, import market share, and selected prices available for the 15 products subject to the Arrangement on monthly, quarterly and annual bases. In addition, information on total U.S. steel production, shipments, employment, imports, exports, apparent consumption, import market share, and average prices is provided so that developments regarding products subject to the Arrangement can be assessed in a broader context.

Notes on product coverage and methodology

The following points regarding product coverage should be noted. First, the Tariff Schedules of the United States Annotated (TSUSA) classifies hot- and cold-rolled alloy strip in the same TSUSA item; import data shown for hot rolled alloy sheet and strip (tables 8 and 9) are, therefore, most likely overstated. Second, certain semifinished products classified in the TSUSA as plate have been excluded from the Arrangement; since the TSUSA does not separately identify these semifinished products, import data shown for carbon plate (tables 14 and 15) and alloy plate (tables 16 and 17) may be overstated. Finally, the reclassification of carbon plate over 6 inches in thickness (TSUS item 607.6620) as a semifinished product by the American Iron & Steel Institute (ASI), effective March 1984, is not reflected in tables 14 and 15. Imports of this item totalled 116,000 net tons in 1984 ($23.8 million). The effect of overstatement in these three product areas on the aggregate import data for the 15 products subject to the Arrangement (tables 4 and 5) is minimal. Imports of hot- and cold-rolled alloy strip represent a small portion of total imports; moreover, inquiries made by the Commission staff to Customs and industry sources indicate that imports of semifinished products classified as plate under the TSUSA probably represent a small percentage of total plate imports.

Monthly and quarterly data may not add to quarterly and annual totals, respectively, owing to rounding and data revisions. The term "negligible" in this report refers to values less than $500, quantities less than 500 short tons (table 3), or quantities less than 0.5 short ton (tables 4-35). Unit values are calculated using unrounded data. Imports of steel mill products in tables 2 and 3 are based on a definition used by the AISI. To maintain consistency, however, the deletion by the AISI of TSUSA item 642.3560 in 1983 is not reflected. Imports of this item totaled 382 tons in 1981 ($295,000), 1,162 tons in 1982 ($360,000), 620 tons in 1983 ($426,000), and 734 tons in 1984 ($511,000).

Import values are customs value.

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Table 1. Steel: 1/ U.S. production, capability utilization, 2/ and employment, 3/ 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Production | | Employment | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Raw steel | Capability utilization | Total | Employees receiving wages | Employees on layoff or short work week 4/ |
| | 1,000 short tons | Percent | Thousands | | |
| 1982 | 74,577 | 48.4 | 289 | 198 | 178 |
| 1983 | 84,615 | 56.2 | 243 | 169 | 100 |
| 1984 | 92,528 | 68.4 | 236 | 171 | 5/ |
| 1985 | 87,346 | 65.4 | 208 | 151 | 5/ |
| 1984: | | | | | |
| January March | 25,057 | 74.6 | 244 | 177 | 5/ |
| April-June | 26,116 | 77.4 | 248 | 181 | 5/ |
| July-September | 20,752 | 61.2 | 235 | 169 | 5/ |
| October-December | 19,137 | 56.2 | 217 | 154 | 5/ |
| 1985: | | | | | |
| January-March | 22,083 | 66.3 | 214 | 154 | 5/ |
| April-June | 23,027 | 68.9 | 215 | 156 | 5/ |
| July-September | 21,064 | 62.9 | 203 | 148 | 5/ |
| October-December | 21,130 | 63.2 | 201 | 146 | 5/ |
| 1984: | | | | | |
| December | 6,013 | 52.4 | 213 | 151 | 5/ |
| 1985: | | | | | |
| January | 6,984 | 60.9 | 211 | 151 | 5/ |
| February | 6,851 | 66.1 | 215 | 155 | 5/ |
| March | 8,269 | 72.1 | 216 | 157 | 5/ |
| April | 7,872 | 71.6 | 216 | 157 | 5/ |
| May | 7,830 | 68.9 | 215 | 156 | 5/ |
| June | 7,292 | 66.3 | 213 | 155 | 5/ |
| July | 7,010 | 62.1 | 207 | 151 | 5/ |
| August | 7,130 | 63.2 | 203 | 148 | 5/ |
| September | 6,924 | 63.4 | 200 | 145 | 5/ |
| October | 7,351 | 65.2 | 200 | 145 | 5 |
| November | 7,051 | 64.7 | 201 | 146 | 5/ |
| December | 6,728 | 59.7 | 201 | 147 | 5/ |
| Percentage change: | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | -4.6 | - | 0 | 0.7 | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 11.9 | - | -5.6 | -2.6 | - |

1/ Carbon, stainless, and alloy steel, whether or not subject to the Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products, which became effective in October 1982.

2/ Based on production and capability to produce raw steel for a sustained full order book.

3/ Covering those employees engaged in the production and sale of iron and steel products.

4/ Data are for end of period and are for 26 companies which together account for approximately 85 percent of U.S. raw steel production.

5/ Data no longer available

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute.

Table 2.--Steel mill products: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | 1,000 short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 61,567 | 16,663 | 5,597 | 1,842 | 76,388 | 21.8 | 7.3 |
| 1983 | 67,583 | 17,071 | 4,115 | 1,199 | 83,455 | 20.5 | 4.9 |
| 1984 | 73,740 | 26,164 | 6,335 | 981 | 98,923 | 26.4 | 6.4 |
| 1985 | 72,698 | 24,280 | 6,989 | 931 | 96,047 | 25.3 | 7.3 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 19,414 | 6,468 | 1,388 | 239 | 25,643 | 25.2 | 5.4 |
| April-June | 20,106 | 5,990 | 1,282 | 249 | 25,847 | 23.2 | 5.0 |
| July-September | 17,307 | 7,353 | 1,769 | 260 | 24,400 | 30.1 | 7.3 |
| October-December | 16,271 | 6,352 | 1,896 | 233 | 22,390 | 28.4 | 8.5 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 17,952 | 6,747 | 1,845 | 216 | 24,483 | 27.6 | 7.5 |
| April-June | 19,061 | 6,238 | 1,693 | 239 | 25,060 | 24.9 | 6.8 |
| July-September | 17,622 | 6,145 | 1,840 | 245 | 23,522 | 26.1 | 7.8 |
| October-December | 17,783 | 5,150 | 1,612 | 231 | 22,702 | 22.7 | 7.1 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 4,867 | 2,157 | 723 | 83 | 6,941 | 31.1 | 10.4 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 6,017 | 2,663 | 753 | 66 | 8,614 | 30.9 | 8.7 |
| February | 5,598 | 2,050 | 586 | 73 | 7,721 | 26.6 | 7.6 |
| March | 6,344 | 2,034 | 505 | 77 | 8,301 | 24.5 | 6.1 |
| April | 6,425 | 1,915 | 472 | 71 | 8,269 | 23.2 | 5.7 |
| May | 6,519 | 1,961 | 556 | 85 | 8,395 | 23.4 | 6.6 |
| June | 6,125 | 2,362 | 666 | 83 | 8,404 | 28.1 | 7.9 |
| July | 5,710 | 1,577 | 449 | 81 | 7,206 | 21.9 | 6.2 |
| August | 6,064 | 2,029 | 540 | 101 | 7,992 | 25.4 | 6.8 |
| September | 5,848 | 2,539 | 851 | 63 | 8,324 | 30.5 | 10.2 |
| October | 6,308 | 1,303 | 335 | 77 | 7,534 | 17.3 | 4.4 |
| November | 5,654 | 1,700 | 537 | 73 | 7,281 | 23.3 | 7.4 |
| December | 5,821 | 2,147 | 740 | 81 | 7,887 | 27.2 | 9.4 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | 2.9 | 26.3 | 37.8 | 11.0 | 8.3 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 19.6 | -0.5 | 2.4 | -2.4 | 13.6 | - | - |

1/ Carbon, stainless, and alloy steel, whether or not subject to the Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products, which became effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 3.--Total steel mill products: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in thousands of short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (5) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 921 | 1,062 | 60 | 921 | 87 | 97 | 1,062 | 11.5 | 61.7 | 15.3 |
| France | 1,127 | 1,597 | 152 | 1,127 | 124 | 170 | 1,597 | 37.1 | 11.8 | 41.7 |
| Italy | 654 | 614 | 64 | 654 | 25 | 56 | 614 | 124.0 | -12.5 | -6.1 |
| Netherlands | 447 | 577 | 73 | 447 | 54 | 78 | 577 | 44.4 | 6.8 | 29.1 |
| United Kingdom | 476 | 612 | 57 | 476 | 58 | 62 | 612 | 6.9 | 8.8 | 28.6 |
| West Germany | 2,543 | 2,367 | 305 | 2,543 | 184 | 270 | 2,367 | 46.7 | -11.5 | -6.9 |
| All other | 167 | 160 | 12 | 167 | 4 | 7 | 160 | 75.0 | -41.7 | -4.2 |
| Subtotal, EC | 6,335 | 6,989 | 723 | 6,335 | 537 | 740 | 6,989 | 37.8 | 2.4 | 10.3 |
| Brazil | 1,461 | 1,701 | 175 | 1,461 | 181 | 107 | 1,701 | -40.9 | -38.9 | 16.4 |
| Canada | 3,167 | 2,868 | 239 | 3,167 | 208 | 229 | 2,868 | 10.1 | -4.2 | -9.4 |
| Japan | 6,630 | 5,990 | 478 | 6,630 | 359 | 466 | 5,990 | 29.8 | -2.5 | -9.7 |
| Republic of Korea | 2,234 | 1,898 | 96 | 2,234 | 116 | 119 | 1,898 | 2.6 | 24.0 | -15.0 |
| Spain | 1,392 | 547 | 62 | 1,392 | 30 | 100 | 547 | 233.3 | 61.3 | -60.7 |
| All other | 4,944 | 4,286 | 384 | 4,944 | 269 | 387 | 4,286 | 43.9 | 0.8 | -13.3 |
| Total, all sources | 26,164 | 24,280 | 2,158 | 26,164 | 1,700 | 2,147 | 24,280 | 26.3 | -0.5 | -7.2 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 313,889 | 358,110 | 24,980 | 313,889 | 30,576 | 36,431 | 358,110 | 19.1 | 45.8 | 14.1 |
| France | 497,821 | 605,997 | 59,246 | 497,821 | 39,191 | 61,797 | 605,997 | 57.7 | 4.3 | 21.7 |
| Italy | 280,931 | 278,843 | 27,865 | 280,931 | 13,183 | 22,073 | 278,843 | 67.4 | -20.8 | -0.7 |
| Netherlands | 154,354 | 186,449 | 27,330 | 154,354 | 16,472 | 23,473 | 186,449 | 42.5 | -14.1 | 20.8 |
| United Kingdom | 226,526 | 277,905 | 26,289 | 226,526 | 22,871 | 27,166 | 277,905 | 18.8 | 3.3 | 22.7 |
| West Germany | 991,653 | 915,519 | 112,240 | 991,653 | 62,794 | 105,090 | 915,519 | 67.4 | -6.4 | -7.7 |
| All other | 60,593 | 57,719 | 4,504 | 60,593 | 1,599 | 3,087 | 57,719 | 30.5 | -53.7 | -4.7 |
| Subtotal, EC | 2,525,767 | 2,680,541 | 282,453 | 2,525,767 | 186,686 | 279,116 | 2,680,541 | 49.0 | -1.5 | 6.1 |
| Brazil | 417,485 | 419,855 | 46,375 | 417,485 | 39,242 | 29,176 | 419,855 | -25.7 | -37.1 | 0.6 |
| Canada | 1,300,269 | 1,172,008 | 97,151 | 1,300,269 | 83,534 | 90,925 | 1,172,008 | 8.8 | -6.4 | -9.9 |
| Japan | 3,097,000 | 2,975,546 | 242,088 | 3,097,000 | 180,211 | 234,764 | 2,975,546 | 30.3 | -3.0 | -3.9 |
| Republic of Korea | 817,205 | 695,379 | 39,869 | 817,205 | 42,844 | 45,081 | 695,379 | 5.2 | 13.1 | -14.9 |
| Spain | 431,315 | 192,039 | 22,128 | 431,315 | 10,304 | 32,205 | 192,039 | 212.5 | 45.5 | -55.5 |
| All other | 1,617,207 | 1,431,832 | 126,157 | 1,617,207 | 99,705 | 126,029 | 1,431,832 | 26.4 | -0.1 | -11.5 |
| Total, all sources | 10,206,247 | 9,567,200 | 856,272 | 10,206,247 | 642,526 | 836,295 | 9,567,200 | 30.2 | -2.3 | -6.3 |

See footnote at end of table.

Table 3.--Total steel mill products: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in thousands of short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 341 | 337 | 419 | 341 | 350 | 375 | 337 | 7.1 | -10.5 | -1.2 |
| France | 442 | 379 | 390 | 442 | 317 | 363 | 379 | 14.5 | -6.9 | -14.3 |
| Italy | 429 | 454 | 433 | 429 | 520 | 392 | 454 | -24.6 | -9.5 | 5.8 |
| Netherlands | 346 | 323 | 373 | 346 | 305 | 302 | 323 | -1.0 | -19.0 | -6.6 |
| United Kingdom | 476 | 454 | 461 | 476 | 394 | 439 | 454 | 11.4 | -4.8 | -4.6 |
| West Germany | 390 | 387 | 368 | 390 | 342 | 389 | 387 | 13.7 | 5.7 | -0.8 |
| All other | 364 | 361 | 376 | 364 | 359 | 313 | 361 | -12.8 | -16.8 | -0.8 |
| Subtotal, EC | 399 | 384 | 391 | 399 | 348 | 376 | 384 | 8.0 | -3.8 | -3.8 |
| Brazil | 286 | 247 | 265 | 286 | 216 | 273 | 247 | 26.4 | 3.0 | -13.6 |
| Canada | 411 | 409 | 406 | 411 | 402 | 397 | 409 | -1.2 | -2.2 | -0.5 |
| Japan | 467 | 497 | 506 | 467 | 502 | 504 | 497 | 0.4 | -0.4 | 6.4 |
| Republic of Korea | 366 | 366 | 413 | 366 | 370 | 379 | 366 | 2.4 | -8.2 | 0.0 |
| Spain | 310 | 351 | 359 | 310 | 345 | 323 | 351 | -6.4 | -10.0 | 13.2 |
| All other | 327 | 334 | 328 | 327 | 370 | 326 | 334 | -11.9 | -0.6 | 2.1 |
| Total, all sources | 390 | 394 | 397 | 390 | 378 | 320 | 394 | 3.2 | -1.8 | 1.0 |

1/ Carbon, stainless, and alloy steel, whether or not subject to Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 4.--Total steel mill products (15 categories) subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 44,546,215 | 9,162,530 | 3,595,094 | 707,001 | 53,001,744 | 17.3 | 6.8 |
| 1983 | 51,591,567 | 11,335,613 | 3,023,970 | 586,173 | 62,341,007 | 18.2 | 4.9 |
| 1984 | 55,849,198 | 15,954,294 | 3,416,268 | 506,392 | 71,297,100 | 22.4 | 4.8 |
| 1985 | 55,876,814 | 14,736,408 | 4,271,670 | 466,925 | 70,146,297 | 21.0 | 6.1 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 14,860,928 | 4,228,055 | 840,936 | 125,128 | 18,963,855 | 22.3 | 4.4 |
| April-June | 15,234,819 | 3,574,929 | 676,772 | 125,288 | 18,684,460 | 19.1 | 3.6 |
| July-September | 12,940,559 | 4,308,655 | 874,776 | 130,085 | 17,119,129 | 25.2 | 5.1 |
| October-December | 12,275,199 | 3,842,655 | 1,023,834 | 125,891 | 15,991,963 | 24.0 | 6.4 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 13,780,372 | 4,182,087 | 1,190,122 | 122,178 | 17,840,281 | 23.4 | 6.7 |
| April-June | 14,635,047 | 3,666,376 | 908,735 | 123,201 | 18,178,222 | 20.2 | 5.0 |
| July-September | 13,481,395 | 3,640,329 | 1,098,370 | 105,881 | 17,015,843 | 21.4 | 6.5 |
| October-December | 13,800,475 | 3,247,615 | 1,074,443 | 115,663 | 16,932,427 | 19.2 | 6.3 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 3,657,167 | 1,362,328 | 451,307 | 47,532 | 4,971,963 | 27.4 | 9.1 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 4,618,905 | 1,737,122 | 485,628 | 34,000 | 6,322,027 | 27.5 | 7.7 |
| February | 4,293,242 | 1,308,769 | 440,276 | 44,462 | 5,557,549 | 23.5 | 7.9 |
| March | 4,830,935 | 1,136,196 | 264,218 | 43,716 | 5,923,415 | 19.2 | 4.5 |
| April | 4,873,928 | 1,055,090 | 188,500 | 34,389 | 5,894,629 | 17.9 | 3.2 |
| May | 5,023,789 | 1,190,018 | 321,130 | 47,020 | 6,166,787 | 19.3 | 5.2 |
| June | 4,722,101 | 1,421,269 | 399,105 | 41,792 | 6,101,578 | 23.3 | 6.5 |
| July | 4,386,987 | 929,689 | 266,965 | 34,273 | 5,282,403 | 17.6 | 5.1 |
| August | 4,610,894 | 1,151,835 | 311,086 | 42,406 | 5,720,323 | 20.1 | 5.4 |
| September | 4,483,514 | 1,558,805 | 520,319 | 29,202 | 6,013,117 | 25.9 | 8.7 |
| October | 4,835,859 | 758,115 | 208,518 | 38,690 | 5,555,294 | 13.6 | 3.8 |
| November | 4,352,701 | 1,046,909 | 318,211 | 40,529 | 5,359,081 | 19.5 | 5.9 |
| December | 4,611,915 | 1,442,591 | 547,714 | 36,437 | 6,018,069 | 24.0 | 9.1 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | 6.0 | 37.8 | 72.1 | -10.1 | 12.3 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 26.1 | 5.9 | 21.4 | -28.3 | 21.0 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

2/ Data coverage on imports does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: see explanation in preface.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 5.--Total steel mill products (15 categories) subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 534,180 | 704,845 | 40,346 | 534,180 | 69,482 | 79,556 | 704,845 | 14.5 | 97.2 | 31.9 |
| France | 751,397 | 982,381 | 129,691 | 751,397 | 48,378 | 109,941 | 982,381 | 127.3 | -15.2 | 30.7 |
| Italy | 212,743 | 257,371 | 20,546 | 212,743 | 16,388 | 42,228 | 257,371 | 157.7 | 105.5 | 21.0 |
| Netherlands | 337,616 | 477,761 | 55,246 | 337,616 | 39,647 | 71,117 | 477,761 | 79.4 | 28.7 | 41.5 |
| United Kingdom | 294,184 | 402,095 | 37,024 | 294,184 | 32,067 | 50,454 | 402,095 | 57.3 | 36.3 | 36.7 |
| West Germany | 1,248,966 | 1,397,611 | 167,105 | 1,248,966 | 110,954 | 190,654 | 1,397,611 | 71.8 | 14.1 | 11.9 |
| All other | 37,322 | 49,608 | 1,350 | 37,322 | 1,295 | 3,763 | 49,608 | 190.6 | 178.7 | 32.9 |
| Subtotal, EC | 3,416,409 | 4,271,670 | 451,307 | 3,416,409 | 318,211 | 547,714 | 4,271,670 | 72.1 | 21.4 | 25.0 |
| Brazil | 758,317 | 965,120 | 106,035 | 758,317 | 139,215 | 62,266 | 965,120 | -55.3 | -41.3 | 27.3 |
| Canada | 2,038,149 | 1,911,538 | 163,181 | 2,038,149 | 136,223 | 150,336 | 1,911,538 | 10.4 | -7.9 | -6.2 |
| Japan | 4,374,866 | 3,783,773 | 316,364 | 4,374,866 | 224,504 | 320,314 | 3,783,773 | 42.7 | 1.2 | -13.5 |
| Republic of Korea | 997,260 | 794,818 | 36,150 | 997,260 | 51,974 | 48,117 | 794,818 | -7.4 | 33.1 | -20.3 |
| Spain | 996,038 | 403,184 | 22,477 | 996,038 | 18,849 | 91,777 | 403,184 | 386.9 | 308.3 | -59.5 |
| All other | 3,373,255 | 2,606,304 | 266,816 | 3,373,255 | 157,934 | 222,067 | 2,606,304 | 40.6 | -16.8 | -22.7 |
| Total, all sources | 15,954,294 | 14,736,408 | 1,362,328 | 15,954,294 | 1,046,909 | 1,442,591 | 14,736,408 | 37.8 | 5.9 | -7.6 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 165,655 | 215,994 | 13,846 | 165,655 | 21,329 | 25,030 | 215,994 | 17.4 | 80.8 | 30.4 |
| France | 276,604 | 333,317 | 46,016 | 276,604 | 15,489 | 36,367 | 333,317 | 138.0 | -19.9 | 20.5 |
| Italy | 64,153 | 81,438 | 6,319 | 64,153 | 5,253 | 11,918 | 81,438 | 126.9 | 88.6 | 26.9 |
| Netherlands | 114,747 | 155,489 | 19,921 | 114,747 | 12,209 | 21,368 | 155,489 | 75.0 | 7.3 | 35.5 |
| United Kingdom | 106,446 | 142,521 | 13,509 | 106,446 | 10,709 | 17,608 | 142,521 | 64.4 | 30.3 | 33.9 |
| West Germany | 460,634 | 505,639 | 64,076 | 460,634 | 36,930 | 71,297 | 505,639 | 93.1 | 11.3 | 9.8 |
| All other | 14,242 | 17,084 | 488 | 14,242 | 402 | 1,137 | 17,084 | 182.8 | 133.0 | 20.0 |
| Subtotal, EC | 1,202,479 | 1,451,481 | 164,176 | 1,202,479 | 102,322 | 185,225 | 1,451,481 | 81.0 | 12.8 | 20.7 |
| Brazil | 197,602 | 208,729 | 25,443 | 197,602 | 26,573 | 15,760 | 208,729 | -40.7 | -38.1 | 5.6 |
| Canada | 739,381 | 670,067 | 59,926 | 739,381 | 45,870 | 51,030 | 670,067 | 11.2 | -14.8 | -9.4 |
| Japan | 1,838,390 | 1,643,075 | 142,808 | 1,838,390 | 96,000 | 140,043 | 1,643,075 | 45.9 | -1.9 | -10.6 |
| Republic of Korea | 330,835 | 269,571 | 13,417 | 330,835 | 16,509 | 16,030 | 269,571 | -2.9 | 19.5 | -18.5 |
| Spain | 271,983 | 112,928 | 6,570 | 271,983 | 6,051 | 27,831 | 112,928 | 359.9 | 323.6 | -58.5 |
| All other | 966,640 | 765,250 | 81,181 | 966,640 | 48,737 | 65,935 | 765,250 | 35.3 | -18.8 | -20.8 |
| Total, all sources | 5,547,311 | 5,121,102 | 493,520 | 5,547,311 | 342,061 | 501,855 | 5,121,102 | 46.7 | 1.7 | -7.7 |

See footnote at end of table.

Table 5.--Total steel mill products (15 categories) subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 310 | 306 | 343 | 310 | 307 | 315 | 306 | 2.6 | -8.2 | -1.3 |
| France | 368 | 339 | 355 | 368 | 320 | 335 | 339 | 4.7 | -5.6 | -7.9 |
| Italy | 302 | 316 | 308 | 302 | 321 | 282 | 316 | -12.1 | -8.4 | 4.6 |
| Netherlands | 340 | 325 | 361 | 340 | 308 | 300 | 325 | -2.6 | -16.9 | -4.4 |
| United Kingdom | 362 | 354 | 365 | 362 | 334 | 349 | 354 | 4.5 | -4.4 | -2.2 |
| West Germany | 369 | 362 | 383 | 369 | 333 | 374 | 362 | 12.3 | -2.3 | -1.9 |
| All other | 382 | 344 | 362 | 382 | 311 | 302 | 344 | -2.9 | -16.6 | -9.9 |
| Subtotal, EC | 352 | 340 | 364 | 352 | 322 | 338 | 340 | 5.0 | -7.1 | -3.4 |
| Brazil | 261 | 216 | 240 | 261 | 191 | 253 | 216 | 32.5 | 5.4 | -17.2 |
| Canada | 363 | 351 | 367 | 363 | 337 | 339 | 351 | 0.6 | -7.6 | -3.3 |
| Japan | 420 | 434 | 451 | 420 | 428 | 437 | 434 | 2.1 | -3.1 | 3.3 |
| Republic of Korea | 332 | 339 | 371 | 332 | 318 | 333 | 339 | 4.7 | -10.2 | 2.1 |
| Spain | 273 | 280 | 292 | 273 | 321 | 303 | 280 | -5.6 | 3.8 | 2.6 |
| All other | 287 | 294 | 304 | 287 | 309 | 297 | 294 | -3.9 | -2.3 | 2.4 |
| Total, all sources | 348 | 348 | 362 | 348 | 327 | 348 | 348 | 6.4 | -3.9 | 0.0 |

1/ Data coverage does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 6.--Hot-rolled carbon steel sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 8,564,575 | 1,752,969 | 888,508 | 37,012 | 10,280,532 | 17.1 | 8.6 |
| 1983 | 11,083,855 | 2,337,367 | 894,942 | 37,253 | 13,383,969 | 17.5 | 6.7 |
| 1984 | 12,421,013 | 3,093,225 | 955,390 | 6,155 | 15,508,083 | 19.9 | 6.2 |
| 1985 | 12,021,469 | 2,836,124 | 1,307,807 | 41,619 | 14,815,974 | 19.1 | 8.8 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 3,320,995 | 875,600 | 229,692 | 12,166 | 4,184,429 | 20.9 | 5.5 |
| April-June | 3,572,029 | 693,250 | 190,595 | 12,594 | 4,251,685 | 16.3 | 4.4 |
| July-September | 2,900,733 | 776,305 | 242,529 | 8,596 | 3,668,442 | 21.2 | 6.6 |
| October-December | 2,638,221 | 748,071 | 292,575 | 6,055 | 3,380,237 | 22.1 | 8.7 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 2,881,608 | 859,876 | 385,676 | 9,691 | 3,731,793 | 23.0 | 10.3 |
| April-June | 3,150,438 | 644,322 | 255,585 | 7,587 | 3,787,173 | 17.0 | 6.7 |
| July-September | 2,937,532 | 679,861 | 340,514 | 11,275 | 3,606,118 | 18.9 | 9.4 |
| October-December | 3,052,866 | 652,065 | 326,031 | 13,065 | 3,691,866 | 24.0 | 8.8 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 804,743 | 253,831 | 131,911 | 1,415 | 1,057,159 | 24.0 | 12.5 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 964,063 | 354,440 | 147,715 | 2,117 | 1,316,386 | 26.9 | 11.2 |
| February | 900,270 | 301,328 | 157,445 | 2,829 | 1,198,769 | 25.1 | 13.1 |
| March | 1,024,192 | 204,108 | 80,516 | 4,745 | 1,223,555 | 16.7 | 6.6 |
| April | 1,051,089 | 202,224 | 51,683 | 3,258 | 1,250,055 | 16.2 | 4.1 |
| May | 1,086,673 | 209,817 | 102,864 | 2,692 | 1,293,798 | 16.2 | 8.0 |
| June | 1,014,153 | 232,280 | 101,039 | 1,637 | 1,244,796 | 18.7 | 8.1 |
| July | 981,521 | 177,691 | 95,791 | 1,915 | 1,157,297 | 15.4 | 8.3 |
| August | 1,006,178 | 208,522 | 81,953 | 7,048 | 1,207,652 | 17.3 | 6.8 |
| September | 949,833 | 293,648 | 162,760 | 2,312 | 1,241,169 | 23.7 | 13.1 |
| October | 1,021,949 | 168,073 | 60,328 | 2,127 | 1,187,895 | 14.1 | 5.1 |
| November | 935,218 | 201,242 | 107,277 | 8,909 | 1,127,551 | 17.8 | 9.5 |
| December | 1,095,699 | 282,750 | 158,426 | 2,030 | 1,376,419 | 20.5 | 11.5 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | 17.2 | 40.5 | 47.7 | -77.2 | 22.1 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 36.2 | 11.4 | 20.1 | 43.5 | 30.2 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 7.--Hot-rolled carbon steel sheet and strip subject to U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 40,810 | 53,815 | 2,449 | 40,810 | 7,945 | 2,084 | 53,815 | -73.8 | -14.9 | 31.9 |
| France | 321,715 | 456,019 | 70,582 | 321,715 | 24,909 | 50,349 | 456,019 | 102.1 | -28.7 | 41.7 |
| Italy | 83,526 | 91,848 | 9,365 | 83,526 | 1,432 | 16,463 | 91,848 | 1/ | 75.8 | 10.0 |
| Netherlands | 178,134 | 296,468 | 23,751 | 178,134 | 23,931 | 49,512 | 296,468 | 106.9 | 108.5 | 66.4 |
| United Kingdom | 9,586 | 15,606 | 1,322 | 9,586 | 815 | 877 | 15,606 | 7.6 | -33.7 | 62.8 |
| West Germany | 321,557 | 392,153 | 24,441 | 321,557 | 48,192 | 38,640 | 392,153 | -19.8 | 58.1 | 22.0 |
| All other | 62 | 1,898 | 0 | 62 | 53 | 502 | 1,898 | 847.2 | - | 1/ |
| Subtotal, EC | 955,390 | 1,307,807 | 131,911 | 955,390 | 107,277 | 158,426 | 1,307,807 | 47.7 | 20.1 | 36.9 |
| Brazil | 262,999 | 152,410 | 7,949 | 262,999 | 12,410 | 34,416 | 152,410 | 177.3 | 333.0 | -42.0 |
| Canada | 431,878 | 399,155 | 43,463 | 431,878 | 22,907 | 29,421 | 399,155 | 28.4 | -32.3 | -7.6 |
| Japan | 469,044 | 344,555 | 19,248 | 469,044 | 26,255 | 33,603 | 344,555 | 28.0 | 74.6 | -26.5 |
| Republic of Korea | 234,398 | 193,763 | 5,638 | 234,398 | 14,315 | 8,359 | 193,763 | -41.6 | 48.3 | -17.3 |
| Spain | 59,009 | 37,238 | 13,753 | 59,009 | 408 | 0 | 37,238 | -100.0 | -100.0 | -36.9 |
| All other | 680,508 | 401,196 | 31,870 | 680,508 | 17,670 | 18,525 | 401,196 | 4.8 | -41.9 | -41.0 |
| Total, all sources | 3,093,225 | 2,836,124 | 253,831 | 3,093,225 | 201,242 | 282,750 | 2,836,124 | 40.5 | 11.4 | -8.3 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 10,918 | 14,320 | 724 | 10,918 | 1,928 | 591 | 14,320 | -69.3 | -18.4 | 31.2 |
| France | 99,219 | 131,488 | 22,497 | 99,219 | 7,022 | 14,517 | 131,488 | 106.7 | -35.5 | 32.5 |
| Italy | 21,177 | 24,430 | 2,434 | 21,177 | 841 | 3,768 | 24,430 | 348.0 | 54.8 | 15.4 |
| Netherlands | 52,355 | 84,992 | 7,351 | 52,355 | 6,209 | 13,601 | 84,992 | 119.1 | 85.0 | 62.3 |
| United Kingdom | 2,871 | 4,330 | 348 | 2,871 | 206 | 181 | 4,330 | -12.1 | -48.0 | 50.8 |
| West Germany | 92,887 | 106,425 | 7,576 | 92,887 | 11,816 | 9,523 | 106,425 | -19.4 | 25.7 | 14.6 |
| All other | 19 | 552 | 0 | 19 | 17 | 191 | 552 | 1/ | - | 1/ |
| Subtotal, EC | 279,446 | 366,537 | 40,929 | 279,446 | 28,039 | 42,372 | 366,537 | 51.1 | 3.5 | 31.2 |
| Brazil | 57,854 | 35,813 | 2,107 | 57,854 | 2,924 | 7,727 | 35,813 | 164.3 | 266.7 | -38.1 |
| Canada | 135,499 | 120,408 | 12,963 | 135,499 | 6,958 | 8,516 | 120,408 | 22.4 | -34.3 | -11.1 |
| Japan | 154,921 | 116,087 | 7,003 | 154,921 | 7,666 | 10,097 | 116,087 | 31.7 | 44.2 | -25.1 |
| Republic of Korea | 66,555 | 56,608 | 1,636 | 66,555 | 3,871 | 2,214 | 56,608 | -42.8 | 35.3 | -14.9 |
| Spain | 15,951 | 10,354 | 3,621 | 15,951 | 103 | 0 | 10,354 | -100.0 | -100.0 | -35.1 |
| All other | 170,286 | 98,422 | 8,761 | 170,286 | 4,485 | 4,161 | 98,422 | -7.2 | -52.5 | -42.2 |
| Total, all sources | 880,512 | 804,228 | 77,021 | 880,512 | 54,047 | 75,086 | 804,228 | 38.9 | -2.5 | -8.7 |

See footnote at end of table.



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Table 7.--Hot-rolled carbon steel sheet and strip subject to U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 268 | 266 | 296 | 268 | 243 | 284 | 266 | 16.9 | -4.1 | -0.7 |
| France | 308 | 288 | 319 | 308 | 282 | 288 | 288 | 2.1 | -9.7 | -6.5 |
| Italy | 254 | 266 | 260 | 254 | 587 | 229 | 266 | -61.0 | -11.9 | 4.7 |
| Netherlands | 294 | 287 | 310 | 294 | 259 | 275 | 287 | 6.2 | -11.3 | -2.4 |
| United Kingdom | 300 | 277 | 263 | 300 | 253 | 207 | 277 | -18.2 | -21.3 | -7.7 |
| West Germany | 289 | 271 | 310 | 289 | 245 | 246 | 271 | 0.4 | -20.6 | -6.2 |
| All other | 309 | 291 | - | 309 | 320 | 381 | 291 | 19.1 | - | -5.8 |
| Subtotal, EC | 292 | 280 | 310 | 292 | 261 | 267 | 280 | 2.3 | -13.9 | -4.1 |
| Brazil | 220 | 235 | 265 | 220 | 234 | 225 | 235 | -4.7 | -15.1 | 6.8 |
| Canada | 314 | 302 | 298 | 314 | 304 | 289 | 302 | -4.9 | -3.0 | -3.8 |
| Japan | 330 | 337 | 364 | 330 | 292 | 300 | 337 | 2.7 | -17.6 | 2.1 |
| Republic of Korea | 284 | 292 | 290 | 284 | 270 | 265 | 292 | -1.9 | -8.6 | 2.8 |
| Spain | 270 | 278 | 263 | 270 | 253 | - | 278 | - | - | 3.0 |
| All other | 250 | 245 | 275 | 250 | 254 | 225 | 245 | -11.4 | -18.2 | -2.0 |
| Total, all sources | 285 | 284 | 303 | 285 | 269 | 266 | 284 | -1.1 | -12.2 | -0.4 |

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 8.--Hot-rolled alloy steel sheet and strip subject to U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 966,795 | 7,641 | 3,226 | 46,105 | 928,331 | 0.8 | 0.3 |
| 1983 | 1,142,478 | 13,568 | 3,613 | 15,596 | 1,140,450 | 1.2 | 0.3 |
| 1984 | 1,321,738 | 33,998 | 4,694 | 16,447 | 1,339,289 | 2.5 | 0.4 |
| 1985 | 1,477,473 | 42,911 | 7,370 | 16,067 | 1,504,317 | 2.9 | 0.5 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 358,379 | 6,869 | 681 | 3,840 | 361,408 | 1.9 | 0.2 |
| April-June | 363,088 | 7,665 | 757 | 4,566 | 366,187 | 2.0 | 0.2 |
| July-September | 294,600 | 9,664 | 2,112 | 3,441 | 300,823 | 3.2 | 0.7 |
| October-December | 305,671 | 9,799 | 1,144 | 4,600 | 310,870 | 3.2 | 0.4 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 349,773 | 12,802 | 2,156 | 2,823 | 359,752 | 3.6 | 0.6 |
| April-June | 390,806 | 11,886 | 2,039 | 3,226 | 399,466 | 3.0 | 0.5 |
| July-September | 376,046 | 11,149 | 2,198 | 3,726 | 383,469 | 2.9 | 0.6 |
| October-December | 360,848 | 7,074 | 978 | 6,292 | 361,630 | 2.0 | 0.3 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 85,429 | 4,062 | 583 | 1,952 | 87,539 | 4.6 | 0.7 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 119,409 | 5,446 | 577 | 1,085 | 123,770 | 4.4 | 0.5 |
| February | 108,096 | 4,005 | 930 | 888 | 111,213 | 3.6 | 0.8 |
| March | 123,154 | 3,351 | 649 | 850 | 125,655 | 2.7 | 0.5 |
| April | 127,009 | 4,377 | 721 | 674 | 130,712 | 3.4 | 0.6 |
| May | 143,453 | 3,375 | 525 | 1,182 | 145,646 | 2.3 | 0.4 |
| June | 120,308 | 4,135 | 793 | 1,370 | 123,073 | 3.4 | 0.6 |
| July | 122,936 | 2,708 | 496 | 1,034 | 124,610 | 2.2 | 0.4 |
| August | 142,197 | 3,877 | 456 | 1,361 | 144,713 | 2.7 | 0.3 |
| September | 110,913 | 4,564 | 1,246 | 1,331 | 114,146 | 4.0 | 1.1 |
| October | 135,836 | 1,668 | 235 | 1,303 | 136,201 | 1.2 | 0.2 |
| November | 113,048 | 1,916 | 302 | 3,553 | 111,411 | 1.7 | 0.3 |
| December | 111,964 | 3,490 | 441 | 1,436 | 114,018 | 3.1 | 0.4 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | -1.0 | 82.2 | 46.0 | -59.6 | 2.3 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 31.1 | -14.1 | -24.4 | -26.4 | 30.2 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

2/ Data coverage on imports does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 9.--Hot-rolled alloy steel sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 23 | 77 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 77 | 77 | - | - | 234.8 |
| France | 1,382 | 2,318 | 84 | 1,382 | 92 | 112 | 2,318 | 21.7 | 33.3 | 67.7 |
| Italy | 950 | 203 | 0 | 950 | 17 | 0 | 203 | -100.0 | - | -78.6 |
| Netherlands | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 315 | 2,085 | 33 | 315 | 133 | 146 | 2,085 | 9.8 | 342.4 | 561.9 |
| West Germany | 2,025 | 2,687 | 466 | 2,025 | 60 | 106 | 2,687 | 76.7 | -77.3 | 32.7 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 4,694 | 7,370 | 583 | 4,694 | 302 | 441 | 7,370 | 46.0 | -24.4 | 57.0 |
| Brazil | 2 | 414 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 237 | 414 | - | - | 2/ |
| Canada | 5,409 | 1,830 | 778 | 5,409 | 109 | 144 | 1,830 | 32.1 | -81.5 | -66.2 |
| Japan | 22,852 | 32,270 | 2,576 | 22,852 | 1,418 | 2,587 | 32,270 | 82.4 | 0.4 | 41.2 |
| Republic of Korea | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Spain | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| All other | 1,041 | 1,027 | 125 | 1,041 | 88 | 81 | 1,027 | -8.0 | -35.2 | -1.3 |
| Total, all sources | 33,998 | 42,911 | 4,062 | 33,998 | 1,916 | 3,490 | 42,911 | 82.2 | -14.1 | 26.2 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 10 | 76 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 76 | 76 | - | - | 660.0 |
| France | 8,244 | 10,719 | 408 | 8,244 | 555 | 604 | 10,719 | 8.8 | 48.0 | 30.0 |
| Italy | 257 | 204 | 0 | 257 | 17 | 0 | 204 | -100.0 | - | -20.6 |
| Netherlands | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 594 | 2,160 | 82 | 594 | 135 | 183 | 2,160 | 35.6 | 123.2 | 263.6 |
| West Germany | 2,221 | 2,725 | 394 | 2,221 | 50 | 100 | 2,725 | 100.0 | -74.6 | 22.7 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 11,326 | 15,883 | 885 | 11,326 | 758 | 963 | 15,883 | 27.0 | 8.8 | 40.2 |
| Brazil | 1 | 159 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 85 | 159 | - | - | 2/ |
| Canada | 2,668 | 958 | 331 | 2,668 | 45 | 52 | 958 | 15.6 | -84.3 | -64.1 |
| Japan | 32,193 | 45,373 | 4,042 | 32,193 | 2,241 | 3,849 | 45,373 | 71.8 | -4.8 | 40.9 |
| Republic of Korea | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Spain | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| All other | 3,059 | 2,865 | 385 | 3,059 | 191 | 198 | 2,865 | 3.7 | -48.6 | -6.3 |
| Total, all sources | 49,246 | 65,239 | 5,642 | 49,246 | 3,235 | 5,147 | 65,239 | 59.1 | -8.8 | 32.5 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9.--Hot-rolled alloy steel sheet and strip subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 426 | 983 | - | 426 | - | 983 | 983 | - | - | 130.8 |
| France | 5,966 | 4,624 | 4,855 | 5,966 | 6,053 | 5,407 | 4,624 | -10.7 | 11.4 | -22.5 |
| Italy | 271 | 1,006 | - | 271 | 1,020 | - | 1,006 | - | - | 271.2 |
| Netherlands | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 1,888 | 1,036 | 2,503 | 1,888 | 1,015 | 1,258 | 1,036 | 23.9 | -49.7 | -45.1 |
| West Germany | 1,096 | 1,014 | 846 | 1,096 | 840 | 941 | 1,014 | 12.0 | 11.2 | -7.5 |
| All other | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 2,413 | 2,155 | 1,518 | 2,413 | 2,510 | 2,183 | 2,155 | -13.0 | 43.8 | -10.7 |
| Brazil | 660 | 385 | - | 660 | - | 358 | 385 | - | - | -41.7 |
| Canada | 493 | 524 | 426 | 493 | 410 | 360 | 524 | -12.2 | -15.5 | 6.3 |
| Japan | 1,409 | 1,406 | 1,569 | 1,409 | 1,581 | 1,488 | 1,406 | -5.9 | -5.2 | -0.2 |
| Republic of Korea | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Spain | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| All other | 2,937 | 2,791 | 3,073 | 2,937 | 2,172 | 2,444 | 2,791 | 12.5 | -20.5 | -5.0 |
| Total, all sources | 1,449 | 1,520 | 1,389 | 1,449 | 1,688 | 1,475 | 1,520 | -12.6 | 6.2 | 4.9 |

1/ Data coverage does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.
2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 10.--Cold-rolled carbon steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 10,565,058 | 1,621,374 | 924,161 | 20,763 | 12,165,669 | 13.3 | 7.6 |
| 1983 | 12,994,603 | 2,389,722 | 764,238 | 22,732 | 15,352,063 | 15.5 | 5.0 |
| 1984 | 12,867,555 | 3,520,219 | 866,209 | 23,410 | 16,364,364 | 21.5 | 5.3 |
| 1985 | 12,734,396 | 2,592,844 | 910,437 | 19,611 | 15,307,629 | 16.9 | 5.9 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 3,537,306 | 900,271 | 166,905 | 8,296 | 4,429,281 | 20.3 | 3.8 |
| April-June | 3,602,179 | 785,078 | 166,384 | 5,562 | 4,381,695 | 17.9 | 3.8 |
| July-September | 2,882,656 | 956,282 | 219,558 | 5,077 | 3,833,861 | 24.9 | 5.7 |
| October-December | 2,845,273 | 878,588 | 313,363 | 4,475 | 3,719,386 | 23.6 | 8.4 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 3,238,665 | 742,423 | 218,842 | 5,344 | 3,975,744 | 18.7 | 5.5 |
| April-June | 3,330,003 | 571,394 | 176,372 | 4,920 | 3,896,477 | 14.7 | 4.5 |
| July-September | 2,980,794 | 632,725 | 262,730 | 4,476 | 3,609,043 | 17.5 | 7.3 |
| October-December | 3,182,861 | 646,302 | 252,494 | 4,871 | 3,824,292 | 16.9 | 6.6 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 839,609 | 355,276 | 127,239 | 1,773 | 1,193,112 | 29.8 | 10.7 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 1,117,703 | 321,025 | 118,378 | 2,069 | 1,436,659 | 22.3 | 8.2 |
| February | 1,023,500 | 209,784 | 59,018 | 1,100 | 1,232,184 | 17.0 | 4.8 |
| March | 1,093,278 | 211,614 | 41,447 | 2,175 | 1,302,717 | 16.2 | 3.2 |
| April | 1,119,101 | 177,944 | 25,613 | 1,796 | 1,295,249 | 13.7 | 2.0 |
| May | 1,134,178 | 170,037 | 67,146 | 2,080 | 1,302,135 | 13.1 | 5.2 |
| June | 1,061,546 | 223,414 | 83,613 | 1,044 | 1,283,916 | 17.4 | 6.5 |
| July | 1,000,265 | 125,422 | 47,738 | 2,851 | 1,122,836 | 11.2 | 4.3 |
| August | 998,417 | 195,074 | 72,383 | 939 | 1,192,552 | 16.4 | 6.1 |
| September | 982,112 | 312,229 | 142,609 | 686 | 1,293,655 | 24.1 | 11.0 |
| October | 1,128,056 | 130,477 | 42,749 | 1,900 | 1,256,633 | 10.4 | 3.4 |
| November | 982,551 | 179,225 | 61,975 | 1,096 | 1,160,680 | 15.4 | 5.3 |
| December | 1,072,254 | 336,600 | 147,770 | 1,875 | 1,406,979 | 23.9 | 10.5 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | 9.1 | 87.8 | 138.4 | 71.1 | 21.2 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 27.7 | -5.3 | 16.1 | 5.8 | 17.9 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 11.--Cold-rolled carbon steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 72,427 | 94,646 | 2,781 | 72,427 | 5,068 | 28,384 | 94,646 | 460.1 | 920.6 | 30.7 |
| France | 119,624 | 153,228 | 15,482 | 119,624 | 7,062 | 24,051 | 153,228 | 240.6 | 55.3 | 28.1 |
| Italy | 78,880 | 85,841 | 9,029 | 78,880 | 9,625 | 11,543 | 85,841 | 19.9 | 27.8 | 8.8 |
| Netherlands | 136,517 | 154,066 | 30,197 | 136,517 | 13,846 | 20,441 | 154,066 | 47.6 | -32.3 | 12.9 |
| United Kingdom | 22,606 | 21,342 | 4,126 | 22,606 | 405 | 6,400 | 21,342 | 1/ | 55.1 | -5.6 |
| West Germany | 400,217 | 360,263 | 64,354 | 400,217 | 24,739 | 54,433 | 360,263 | 120.0 | -15.4 | -10.0 |
| All other | 35,938 | 41,051 | 1,270 | 35,938 | 1,230 | 2,518 | 41,051 | 104.7 | 98.3 | 14.2 |
| Subtotal, EC | 866,209 | 910,437 | 127,239 | 866,209 | 61,975 | 147,770 | 910,437 | 138.4 | 16.1 | 5.1 |
| Brazil | 262,730 | 122,249 | 43,287 | 262,730 | 12,546 | 15,834 | 122,249 | 26.2 | -63.4 | -53.5 |
| Canada | 131,623 | 131,748 | 10,754 | 131,623 | 8,650 | 8,314 | 131,748 | -3.9 | -22.7 | 0.1 |
| Japan | 844,601 | 623,730 | 79,146 | 844,601 | 47,908 | 61,662 | 623,730 | 28.7 | -22.1 | -26.2 |
| Republic of Korea | 381,908 | 261,134 | 16,459 | 381,908 | 20,715 | 21,111 | 261,134 | 1.9 | 28.3 | -31.6 |
| Spain | 220,429 | 48,871 | 0 | 220,429 | 309 | 27,885 | 48,871 | 1/ | - | -77.8 |
| All other | 803,189 | 494,673 | 78,391 | 803,189 | 27,121 | 54,023 | 494,673 | 99.2 | -31.1 | -38.4 |
| Total, all sources | 3,510,690 | 2,592,844 | 355,276 | 3,510,690 | 179,225 | 336,600 | 2,592,844 | 87.8 | -5.3 | -26.1 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 27,408 | 32,908 | 1,013 | 27,408 | 1,707 | 9,080 | 32,908 | 431.9 | 796.3 | 20.1 |
| France | 46,398 | 54,497 | 6,329 | 46,398 | 2,272 | 8,178 | 54,497 | 259.9 | 29.2 | 17.5 |
| Italy | 24,715 | 27,330 | 3,123 | 24,715 | 2,820 | 3,508 | 27,330 | 24.4 | 12.3 | 10.6 |
| Netherlands | 51,173 | 56,545 | 11,885 | 51,173 | 4,749 | 7,134 | 56,545 | 50.2 | -40.0 | 10.5 |
| United Kingdom | 10,082 | 9,248 | 1,970 | 10,082 | 152 | 2,141 | 9,248 | 1/ | 8.7 | -8.3 |
| West Germany | 156,086 | 139,504 | 25,319 | 156,086 | 9,283 | 20,774 | 139,504 | 123.8 | -18.0 | -10.6 |
| All other | 13,832 | 14,528 | 463 | 13,832 | 381 | 777 | 14,528 | 103.9 | 67.8 | 5.0 |
| Subtotal, EC | 329,695 | 334,560 | 50,103 | 329,695 | 21,365 | 51,592 | 334,560 | 141.5 | 3.0 | 1.5 |
| Brazil | 78,818 | 37,999 | 12,766 | 78,818 | 3,763 | 4,819 | 37,999 | 28.1 | -62.3 | -51.8 |
| Canada | 54,750 | 52,643 | 4,337 | 54,750 | 3,138 | 3,403 | 52,643 | 8.4 | -21.5 | -3.8 |
| Japan | 334,259 | 257,237 | 33,831 | 334,259 | 18,189 | 23,462 | 257,237 | 29.0 | -30.6 | -23.0 |
| Republic of Korea | 133,524 | 91,628 | 5,986 | 133,524 | 6,381 | 6,838 | 91,628 | 7.2 | 14.2 | -31.4 |
| Spain | 70,313 | 15,175 | 0 | 70,313 | 97 | 8,902 | 15,175 | 1/ | - | -78.4 |
| All other | 254,564 | 160,190 | 27,259 | 254,564 | 8,261 | 15,198 | 160,190 | 84.0 | -44.2 | -37.1 |
| Total, all sources | 1,255,923 | 949,433 | 134,282 | 1,255,923 | 61,194 | 114,215 | 949,433 | 86.6 | -14.9 | -24.4 |

See footnote at end of table.



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Table 11.--Cold-rolled carbon steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 378 | 348 | 364 | 378 | 337 | 320 | 348 | -5.0 | -12.1 | -7.9 |
| France | 388 | 356 | 409 | 388 | 322 | 340 | 356 | 5.6 | -16.9 | -8.2 |
| Italy | 313 | 318 | 346 | 313 | 293 | 304 | 318 | 3.8 | -12.1 | 1.6 |
| Netherlands | 375 | 367 | 394 | 375 | 345 | 349 | 367 | 1.7 | -11.4 | -2.1 |
| United Kingdom | 446 | 433 | 477 | 446 | 376 | 335 | 433 | -10.9 | -29.8 | -2.9 |
| West Germany | 390 | 387 | 393 | 390 | 375 | 382 | 387 | 1.9 | -2.8 | -0.8 |
| All other | 385 | 354 | 364 | 385 | 309 | 309 | 354 | 0.0 | -15.1 | -8.1 |
| Subtotal, EC | 381 | 367 | 394 | 381 | 345 | 349 | 367 | 1.2 | -11.4 | -3.7 |
| Brazil | 300 | 311 | 295 | 300 | 300 | 304 | 311 | 1.3 | 3.1 | 3.7 |
| Canada | 416 | 400 | 403 | 416 | 363 | 409 | 400 | 12.7 | 1.5 | -3.8 |
| Japan | 396 | 412 | 427 | 396 | 380 | 381 | 412 | 0.3 | -10.8 | 4.0 |
| Republic of Korea | 350 | 351 | 364 | 350 | 308 | 324 | 351 | 5.2 | -11.0 | 0.3 |
| Spain | 319 | 311 | - | 319 | 315 | 319 | 311 | 1.3 | - | -2.5 |
| All other | 317 | 324 | 348 | 317 | 305 | 281 | 324 | -7.9 | -19.3 | 2.2 |
| Total, all sources | 358 | 366 | 378 | 358 | 341 | 339 | 366 | -0.6 | -10.3 | 2.2 |

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 12.--Cold rolled alloy steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 147,302 | 1,588 | 475 | 5,201 | 143,689 | 1.1 | 0.3 |
| 1983 | 221,178 | 4,454 | 1,921 | 5,127 | 220,505 | 2.0 | 0.9 |
| 1984 | 227,161 | 12,308 | 2,206 | 6,250 | 233,219 | 5.3 | 0.9 |
| 1985 | 250,175 | 16,962 | 2,915 | 3,813 | 263,324 | 6.4 | 1.1 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 60,734 | 1,555 | 233 | 2,134 | 60,155 | 2.5 | 0.4 |
| April-June | 61,052 | 4,537 | 891 | 1,802 | 63,787 | 7.1 | 1.4 |
| July-September | 50,901 | 3,146 | 570 | 1,162 | 52,885 | 5.9 | 1.1 |
| October-December | 54,474 | 3,071 | 509 | 1,152 | 56,393 | 5.4 | 0.9 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 61,667 | 5,053 | 1,766 | 1,043 | 65,677 | 7.7 | 2.6 |
| April-June | 62,989 | 4,403 | 74 | 1,337 | 66,055 | 6.7 | 0.1 |
| July-September | 61,751 | 4,162 | 862 | 743 | 65,170 | 6.4 | 1.3 |
| October-December | 63,768 | 3,344 | 212 | 688 | 66,424 | 5.0 | 0.3 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 15,473 | 1,234 | 205 | 371 | 16,336 | 7.6 | 1.3 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 19,989 | 2,415 | 1,126 | 564 | 21,840 | 11.1 | 5.2 |
| February | 19,360 | 2,003 | 587 | 259 | 21,104 | 9.5 | 2.8 |
| March | 20,844 | 634 | 53 | 220 | 21,258 | 3.0 | 0.2 |
| April | 20,946 | 2,301 | 10 | 348 | 22,899 | 10.0 | 0.2 |
| May | 22,062 | 1,281 | 48 | 473 | 22,870 | 5.6 | 0.2 |
| June | 20,070 | 821 | 17 | 516 | 20,375 | 4.0 | 0.1 |
| July | 21,124 | 1,023 | 54 | 128 | 22,019 | 4.6 | 0.2 |
| August | 20,191 | 437 | 21 | 239 | 20,389 | 2.1 | 0.1 |
| September | 20,436 | 2,702 | 787 | 376 | 22,762 | 11.9 | 3.5 |
| October | 25,158 | 597 | 17 | 157 | 25,598 | 2.3 | 0.1 |
| November | 20,724 | 428 | 139 | 310 | 20,842 | 2.1 | 0.7 |
| December | 17,886 | 2,319 | 56 | 220 | 19,985 | 11.6 | 0.3 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | -13.7 | 441.8 | -59.7 | -29.0 | -4.1 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 15.6 | 87.9 | -72.7 | -40.7 | 22.3 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 13.--Cold-rolled alloy steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 34 | 44 | 1 | 34 | 0 | 0 | 44 | - | -100.0 | 29.4 |
| France | 1,295 | 140 | 88 | 1,295 | 1 | 56 | 140 | 1/ | -36.4 | -89.2 |
| Italy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Netherlands | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 2 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 | - | - | 200.0 |
| West Germany | 875 | 2,725 | 116 | 875 | 138 | 0 | 2,725 | -100.0 | -100.0 | 211.4 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 2,206 | 2,915 | 205 | 2,206 | 139 | 56 | 2,915 | -59.7 | -72.7 | 32.1 |
| Brazil | 0 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 19 | - | - | - |
| Canada | 1,712 | 1,906 | 510 | 1,712 | 0 | 0 | 1,906 | - | -100.0 | 11.3 |
| Japan | 7,471 | 11,071 | 394 | 7,471 | 241 | 1,869 | 11,071 | 675.5 | 374.4 | 48.2 |
| Republic of Korea | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| Spain | 0 | 501 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 375 | 501 | 1/ | - | - |
| All other | 912 | 551 | 124 | 912 | 35 | 19 | 551 | -45.7 | -84.7 | -39.6 |
| Total, all sources | 12,308 | 16,962 | 1,234 | 12,308 | 428 | 2,319 | 16,962 | 441.8 | 87.9 | 37.8 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 15 | 15 | 2 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 15 | - | -100.0 | 0.0 |
| France | 5,828 | 682 | 453 | 5,828 | 31 | 165 | 682 | 432.3 | -63.6 | -88.3 |
| Italy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Netherlands | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 17 | 6 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 6 | - | - | -64.7 |
| West Germany | 1,673 | 2,313 | 121 | 1,673 | 295 | 0 | 2,313 | -100.0 | -100.0 | 38.3 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 7,533 | 3,016 | 576 | 7,533 | 326 | 165 | 3,016 | -49.4 | -71.4 | -60.0 |
| Brazil | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | - | - | - |
| Canada | 868 | 908 | 241 | 868 | 0 | 0 | 908 | - | -100.0 | 4.6 |
| Japan | 4,751 | 6,019 | 192 | 4,751 | 177 | 905 | 6,019 | 411.3 | 371.4 | 26.7 |
| Republic of Korea | 10 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| Spain | 0 | 432 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 328 | 432 | 1/ | - | - |
| All other | 2,420 | 1,331 | 170 | 2,420 | 83 | 53 | 1,331 | -36.1 | -68.8 | -45.0 |
| Total, all sources | 15,581 | 11,712 | 1,179 | 15,581 | 597 | 1,451 | 11,712 | 143.0 | 23.1 | -24.8 |

See footnote at end of table.

Table 13.--Cold-rolled alloy steel sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 442 | 351 | 1,992 | 442 | - | - | 351 | - | - | -20.6 |
| France | 4,500 | 4,879 | 5,126 | 4,500 | 31,786 | 2,936 | 4,879 | -90.8 | -42.7 | 8.4 |
| Italy | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Netherlands | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 8,824 | 953 | - | 8,824 | - | - | 953 | - | - | -89.2 |
| West Germany | 1,912 | 849 | 1,049 | 1,912 | 2,137 | - | 849 | - | - | -55.6 |
| All other | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 3,415 | 1,035 | 2,809 | 3,415 | 2,344 | 2,954 | 1,035 | 26.0 | 5.2 | -69.7 |
| Brazil | - | 330 | - | - | - | - | 330 | - | - | - |
| Canada | 507 | 476 | 472 | 507 | - | - | 476 | - | - | -6.1 |
| Japan | 636 | 544 | 488 | 636 | 735 | 484 | 544 | -34.1 | -0.8 | -14.5 |
| Republic of Korea | 1,308 | - | - | 1,308 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Spain | - | 862 | - | - | 794 | 874 | 862 | 10.1 | - | - |
| All other | 2,655 | 2,416 | 1,364 | 2,655 | 2,355 | 2,754 | 2,416 | 16.9 | 101.9 | -9.0 |
| Total, all sources | 1,266 | 690 | 95[1] | 1,266 | 1,394 | 626 | 690 | -55.1 | -34.5 | -45.5 |

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 14.--Carbon steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 3,037,915 | 1,152,274 | 327,439 | 84,245 | 4,105,944 | 28.1 | 8.0 |
| 1983 | 2,802,104 | 1,027,985 | 233,446 | 63,409 | 3,766,680 | 27.3 | 6.2 |
| 1984 | 3,108,867 | 1,405,811 | 243,772 | 62,536 | 4,452,142 | 31.6 | 5.5 |
| 1985 | 3,014,338 | 1,788,619 | 332,648 | 46,872 | 4,756,085 | 37.6 | 7.0 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 844,141 | 366,045 | 79,280 | 5,828 | 1,204,358 | 30.4 | 6.6 |
| April-June | 902,153 | 295,219 | 45,573 | 15,129 | 1,182,243 | 25.0 | 3.9 |
| July-September | 686,110 | 375,212 | 60,201 | 23,481 | 1,037,841 | 36.2 | 5.8 |
| October-December | 676,000 | 369,336 | 58,717 | 18,098 | 1,027,238 | 40.0 | 5.7 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 750,644 | 557,495 | 85,467 | 8,668 | 1,299,471 | 42.9 | 6.6 |
| April-June | 853,715 | 420,890 | 85,294 | 13,765 | 1,260,840 | 33.4 | 6.8 |
| July-September | 688,685 | 440,039 | 77,283 | 9,620 | 1,119,104 | 39.3 | 6.9 |
| October-December | 721,845 | 370,195 | 84,604 | 14,817 | 1,077,223 | 34.4 | 7.9 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 208,165 | 152,899 | 27,269 | 10,102 | 350,962 | 43.6 | 7.8 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 242,418 | 303,363 | 31,347 | 3,599 | 542,182 | 56.0 | 5.8 |
| February | 236,203 | 126,122 | 25,318 | 3,539 | 358,786 | 35.2 | 7.1 |
| March | 271,124 | 128,011 | 28,801 | 1,530 | 397,605 | 32.2 | 7.2 |
| April | 293,184 | 94,543 | 20,923 | 2,196 | 385,531 | 24.5 | 5.4 |
| May | 293,664 | 154,358 | 24,887 | 6,953 | 441,069 | 35.0 | 5.6 |
| June | 263,930 | 171,989 | 39,484 | 4,616 | 431,303 | 39.9 | 9.2 |
| July | 231,209 | 94,009 | 21,162 | 4,810 | 320,408 | 29.3 | 6.6 |
| August | 236,195 | 135,398 | 30,218 | 3,313 | 368,280 | 36.8 | 8.2 |
| September | 221,281 | 210,632 | 25,903 | 1,497 | 430,416 | 48.9 | 6.0 |
| October | 241,180 | 83,611 | 25,365 | 7,126 | 317,665 | 26.3 | 8.0 |
| November | 232,675 | 166,023 | 22,124 | 3,239 | 395,459 | 42.0 | 5.6 |
| December | 247,990 | 120,561 | 37,115 | 4,452 | 364,099 | 33.1 | 10.2 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | 6.6 | -27.4 | 67.8 | 37.4 | -7.9 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 19.1 | -21.1 | 36.1 | -55.9 | 3.7 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

2/ Data coverage on imports does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 15.--Carbon steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 119,915 | 183,614 | 6,073 | 119,915 | 11,598 | 15,577 | 183,614 | 34.3 | 156.5 | 53.1 |
| France | 9,863 | 11,845 | 890 | 9,863 | 614 | 2,093 | 11,845 | 240.9 | 135.2 | 20.1 |
| Italy | 21,752 | 33,987 | 1,646 | 21,752 | 3,208 | 9,808 | 33,987 | 205.7 | 495.9 | 56.2 |
| Netherlands | 2,474 | 0 | 0 | 2,474 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| United Kingdom | 28,664 | 37,739 | 5,235 | 28,664 | 2,639 | 2,361 | 37,739 | -10.5 | -54.9 | 31.7 |
| West Germany | 59,819 | 59,303 | 13,346 | 59,819 | 4,066 | 6,533 | 59,303 | 60.7 | -51.0 | -0.9 |
| All other | 1,285 | 6,159 | 80 | 1,285 | 0 | 743 | 6,159 | - | 828.8 | 379.3 |
| Subtotal, EC | 243,772 | 332,648 | 27,269 | 243,772 | 22,124 | 37,115 | 332,648 | 67.8 | 36.1 | 36.5 |
| Brazil | 48,065 | 555,994 | 40,064 | 48,065 | 107,968 | 9,554 | 555,994 | -91.2 | -76.2 | 2/ |
| Canada | 189,244 | 143,063 | 9,759 | 189,244 | 11,023 | 13,813 | 143,063 | 25.3 | 41.5 | -24.4 |
| Japan | 21,199 | 11,491 | 1,119 | 21,199 | 804 | 1,418 | 11,491 | 76.4 | 26.7 | -45.8 |
| Republic of Korea | 71,090 | 59,104 | 1,452 | 71,090 | 4,182 | 4,875 | 59,104 | 16.6 | 235.7 | -16.9 |
| Spain | 174,786 | 56,311 | 54 | 174,786 | 0 | 15,847 | 56,311 | - | 2/ | -67.8 |
| All other | 657,656 | 630,008 | 73,181 | 657,656 | 19,922 | 37,938 | 630,008 | 90.4 | -48.2 | -4.2 |
| Total, all sources | 1,405,811 | 1,788,619 | 152,899 | 1,405,811 | 166,023 | 120,561 | 1,788,619 | -27.4 | -21.1 | 27.2 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 33,268 | 51,369 | 1,973 | 33,268 | 3,214 | 4,103 | 51,369 | 27.7 | 108.0 | 54.4 |
| France | 3,402 | 4,038 | 318 | 3,402 | 167 | 588 | 4,038 | 252.1 | 84.9 | 18.7 |
| Italy | 5,243 | 9,473 | 484 | 5,243 | 700 | 2,970 | 9,473 | 324.3 | 513.6 | 80.7 |
| Netherlands | 836 | 0 | 0 | 836 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| United Kingdom | 8,097 | 11,079 | 1,586 | 8,097 | 1,138 | 672 | 11,079 | -40.9 | -57.6 | 36.8 |
| West Germany | 17,201 | 18,683 | 3,637 | 17,201 | 1,348 | 1,714 | 18,683 | 27.2 | -52.9 | 8.6 |
| All other | 374 | 1,769 | 25 | 374 | 0 | 169 | 1,769 | - | 576.0 | 373.0 |
| Subtotal, EC | 68,421 | 96,410 | 8,022 | 68,421 | 6,567 | 10,216 | 96,410 | 55.6 | 27.3 | 40.9 |
| Brazil | 8,038 | 94,906 | 6,189 | 8,038 | 17,727 | 2,352 | 94,906 | -86.7 | -62.0 | 2/ |
| Canada | 59,2[illegible] | 44,852 | 3,194 | 59,285 | 3,274 | 3,970 | 44,852 | 21.3 | 24.3 | -24.3 |
| Japan | 9,3[illegible] | 5,693 | 592 | 9,384 | 360 | 643 | 5,693 | 78.6 | 8.6 | -39.3 |
| Republic of Korea | 20,03[illegible] | 16,526 | 445 | 20,030 | 1,113 | 1,306 | 16,526 | 17.3 | 193.5 | -17.5 |
| Spain | 39,317 | 15,653 | 12 | 39,317 | 0 | 4,458 | 15,653 | - | 2/ | -60.2 |
| All other | 166,776 | 159,794 | 19,631 | 166,776 | 5,035 | 9,796 | 159,794 | 94.6 | -50.1 | -4.2 |
| Total, all sources | 371,251 | 433,835 | 38,086 | 371,251 | 34,076 | 32,740 | 433,835 | -3.9 | -14.0 | 16.9 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 15.--Carbon steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 277 | 280 | 325 | 277 | 277 | 263 | 280 | -5.1 | -19.1 | 1.1 |
| France | 345 | 341 | 357 | 345 | 273 | 281 | 341 | 2.9 | -21.3 | -1.2 |
| Italy | 241 | 279 | 294 | 241 | 218 | 303 | 279 | 39.0 | 3.1 | 15.8 |
| Netherlands | 338 | - | - | 338 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 282 | 294 | 303 | 282 | 431 | 284 | 294 | -34.1 | -6.3 | 4.3 |
| West Germany | 288 | 315 | 273 | 288 | 332 | 262 | 315 | -21.1 | -4.0 | 9.4 |
| All other | 291 | 287 | 315 | 291 | - | 228 | 287 | - | -27.6 | -1.4 |
| Subtotal, EC | 281 | 290 | 294 | 281 | 297 | 275 | 290 | -7.4 | -6.5 | 3.2 |
| Brazil | 167 | 171 | 154 | 167 | 164 | 246 | 171 | 50.0 | 59.7 | 2.4 |
| Canada | 313 | 314 | 327 | 313 | 297 | 287 | 314 | -3.4 | -12.2 | 0.3 |
| Japan | 443 | 495 | 529 | 443 | 448 | 453 | 495 | 1.1 | -14.4 | 11.7 |
| Republic of Korea | 282 | 280 | 306 | 282 | 266 | 268 | 280 | 0.8 | -12.4 | -0.7 |
| Spain | 225 | 278 | 229 | 225 | - | 281 | 278 | - | 22.7 | 23.6 |
| All other | 254 | 254 | 268 | 254 | 253 | 258 | 254 | 2.0 | -3.7 | 0.0 |
| Total, all sources | 264 | 243 | 249 | 264 | 205 | 272 | 243 | 32.7 | 9.2 | -8.0 |

1/ Data coverage does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.
2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

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Table 16.--Alloy steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, 2/ exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 1,010,995 | 42,005 | 22,485 | 32,979 | 1,020,021 | 4.1 | 2.2 |
| 1983 | 913,124 | 21,244 | 11,831 | 30,479 | 903,889 | 2.4 | 1.3 |
| 1984 | 1,114,261 | 70,527 | 32,118 | 22,277 | 1,162,511 | 6.1 | 2.8 |
| 1985 | 1,157,116 | 106,579 | 40,572 | 28,084 | 1,235,611 | 8.6 | 3.3 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 275,707 | 14,753 | 7,654 | 3,605 | 286,855 | 5.1 | 2.7 |
| April-June | 318,131 | 14,720 | 6,709 | 4,940 | 327,911 | 4.5 | 2.0 |
| July-September | 265,007 | 21,211 | 9,644 | 6,284 | 279,934 | 7.6 | 3.4 |
| October-December | 257,639 | 19,843 | 8,110 | 7,448 | 270,034 | 7.3 | 3.0 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 296,223 | 30,888 | 12,988 | 12,369 | 314,742 | 9.8 | 4.1 |
| April-June | 320,081 | 24,933 | 6,679 | 5,087 | 339,927 | 7.3 | 2.0 |
| July-September | 279,904 | 28,056 | 10,882 | 4,623 | 303,337 | 9.2 | 3.6 |
| October-December | 262,515 | 22,702 | 10,023 | 6,004 | 279,213 | 8.1 | 3.6 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 79,230 | 7,861 | 2,937 | 2,688 | 84,403 | 9.3 | 3.5 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 85,891 | 15,681 | 6,689 | 1,668 | 99,904 | 15.7 | 6.7 |
| February | 81,357 | 6,466 | 2,776 | 2,104 | 85,719 | 7.5 | 3.2 |
| March | 125,438 | 8,742 | 3,522 | 8,597 | 125,583 | 7.0 | 2.8 |
| April | 112,982 | 5,109 | 1,688 | 1,755 | 116,336 | 4.4 | 1.5 |
| May | 115,479 | 10,764 | 2,081 | 1,510 | 124,733 | 8.6 | 1.7 |
| June | 102,047 | 9,060 | 2,910 | 1,822 | 109,285 | 8.3 | 2.7 |
| July | 94,720 | 5,582 | 3,287 | 1,366 | 98,936 | 5.6 | 3.3 |
| August | 91,378 | 7,105 | 2,872 | 1,885 | 96,598 | 7.4 | 3.0 |
| September | 93,806 | 15,369 | 4,723 | 1,372 | 107,803 | 14.3 | 4.4 |
| October | 97,978 | 7,937 | 2,894 | 2,038 | 103,877 | 7.6 | 2.8 |
| November | 84,987 | 6,350 | 2,339 | 2,657 | 88,680 | 7.2 | 2.6 |
| December | 79,550 | 8,415 | 4,790 | 1,308 | 86,657 | 9.7 | 5.5 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | -6.4 | 32.5 | 104.8 | -50.8 | -2.3 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 0.4 | 7.0 | 63.1 | -51.3 | 2.7 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

2/ Data coverage on imports does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 17.--Alloy steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 4,336 | 5,886 | 31 | 4,336 | 193 | 855 | 5,886 | 343.0 | 2/ | 35.7 |
| France | 6,816 | 8,149 | 505 | 6,816 | 237 | 654 | 8,149 | 175.9 | 29.5 | 19.6 |
| Italy | 1,640 | 4,024 | 327 | 1,640 | 0 | 456 | 4,024 | - | 39.4 | 145.4 |
| Netherlands | 0 | 228 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 228 | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 235 | 443 | 0 | 235 | 0 | 20 | 443 | - | - | 88.5 |
| West Germany | 19,089 | 21,598 | 2,075 | 19,089 | 1,909 | 2,805 | 21,598 | 46.9 | 35.2 | 13.1 |
| All other | 0 | 243 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 243 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 32,118 | 40,572 | 2,937 | 32,118 | 2,339 | 4,790 | 40,572 | 104.8 | 63.1 | 26.3 |
| Brazil | 1 | 9,123 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 9,123 | - | - | 2/ |
| Canada | 8,812 | 17,836 | 1,43 | 8,812 | 1,350 | 1,312 | 17,836 | -2.8 | -8.4 | 102.4 |
| Japan | 18,742 | 30,923 | 2,439 | 18,742 | 2,402 | 1,420 | 30,923 | -40.9 | -41.8 | 65.0 |
| Republic of Korea | 0 | 259 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 12 | 259 | 50.0 | - | - |
| Spain | 45 | 16 | 0 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 16 | - | - | -64.4 |
| All other | 10,810 | 7,850 | 1,053 | 10,810 | 251 | 880 | 7,850 | 250.6 | -16.4 | -27.4 |
| Total, all sources | 70,527 | 106,579 | 7,861 | 70,527 | 6,350 | 8,415 | 106,579 | 32.5 | 7.0 | 51.1 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 2,387 | 3,252 | 13 | 2,387 | 96 | 356 | 3,252 | 270.8 | 2/ | 36.2 |
| France | 5,708 | 6,887 | 413 | 5,708 | 142 | 487 | 6,887 | 243.0 | 17.9 | 20.7 |
| Italy | 938 | 2,316 | 185 | 938 | 0 | 235 | 2,316 | - | 27.0 | 146.9 |
| Netherlands | 0 | 139 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 139 | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 144 | 276 | 0 | 144 | 0 | 38 | 276 | - | - | 91.7 |
| West Germany | 10,612 | 12,814 | 1,342 | 10,612 | 1,523 | 1,440 | 12,814 | -5.4 | 7.3 | 20.8 |
| All other | 0 | 124 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 124 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 19,791 | 25,809 | 1,953 | 19,791 | 1,761 | 2,556 | 25,809 | 45.1 | 30.9 | 30.4 |
| Brazil | 1 | 4,392 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4,392 | - | - | 2/ |
| Canada | 7,526 | 14,455 | 1,520 | 7,526 | 1,021 | 897 | 14,455 | -12.1 | -41.0 | 92.1 |
| Japan | 11,424 | 18,275 | 1,760 | 11,424 | 1,409 | 735 | 18,275 | -47.8 | -58.2 | 60.0 |
| Republic of Korea | 0 | 108 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 108 | 0.0 | - | - |
| Spain | 31 | 11 | 0 | 31 | 0 | 0 | 11 | - | - | -64.5 |
| All other | 7,033 | 4,921 | 708 | 7,033 | 193 | 600 | 4,921 | 210.9 | -15.3 | -30.0 |
| Total, all sources | 45,807 | 67,972 | 5,940 | 45,807 | 4,388 | 4,791 | 67,972 | 9.2 | -19.3 | 48.4 |

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 17.--Alloy steel plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 551 | 552 | 404 | 551 | 497 | 417 | 552 | -16.1 | 3.2 | 0.2 |
| France | 837 | 845 | 819 | 837 | 598 | 745 | 845 | 24.6 | -9.0 | 1.0 |
| Italy | 572 | 575 | 567 | 572 | - | 515 | 575 | - | -9.2 | 0.5 |
| Netherlands | - | 611 | - | - | - | - | 611 | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 614 | 623 | - | 614 | - | 1,842 | 623 | - | - | 1.5 |
| West Germany | 556 | 593 | 647 | 556 | 798 | 513 | 593 | -35.7 | -20.7 | 6.7 |
| All other | - | 511 | - | - | - | - | 511 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 616 | 636 | 665 | 616 | 753 | 534 | 636 | -29.1 | -19.7 | 3.2 |
| Brazil | 1,705 | 481 | - | 1,705 | - | - | 481 | - | - | -71.8 |
| Canada | 854 | 810 | 1,061 | 854 | 756 | 683 | 810 | -9.7 | -35.6 | -5.2 |
| Japan | 610 | 591 | 722 | 610 | 587 | 517 | 591 | -11.9 | -28.4 | -3.1 |
| Republic of Korea | - | 418 | - | - | 435 | 361 | 418 | -17.0 | - | - |
| Spain | 679 | 679 | - | 679 | - | - | 679 | - | - | 0.0 |
| All other | 651 | 627 | 672 | 651 | 768 | 681 | 627 | -11.3 | 1.3 | -3.7 |
| Total, all sources | 649 | 638 | 756 | 649 | 691 | 569 | 638 | -17.7 | -24.7 | -1.7 |

1/ Data coverage does not strictly conform to products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement; see explanation in preface.
2/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 18.--Carbon steel structural shapes to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 2,876,955 | 1,461,795 | 554,292 | 46,350 | 4,292,400 | 34.1 | 12.9 |
| 1983 | 2,902,353 | 1,477,338 | 438,959 | 36,873 | 4,342,818 | 34.0 | 10.1 |
| 1984 | 3,370,247 | 2,055,134 | 444,850 | 23,852 | 5,401,529 | 38.0 | 8.2 |
| 1985 | 3,995,705 | 2,000,725 | 644,388 | 23,239 | 5,973,191 | 33.5 | 10.8 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 880,958 | 563,572 | 127,807 | 5,606 | 1,438,924 | 39.2 | 8.9 |
| April-June | 811,293 | 489,920 | 93,795 | 4,072 | 1,297,141 | 37.8 | 7.2 |
| July-September | 728,439 | 631,971 | 116,774 | 7,298 | 1,353,112 | 46.7 | 8.6 |
| October-December | 755,506 | 369,668 | 106,47[illegible] | 6,876 | 1,118,298 | 33.1 | 9.5 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 872,794 | 514,593 | 173,122 | 9,532 | 1,377,855 | 37.3 | 12.6 |
| April-June | 972,080 | 570,022 | 165,743 | 4,859 | 1,537,243 | 37.1 | 10.8 |
| July-September | 983,371 | 526,187 | 156,997 | 4,124 | 1,505,434 | 35.0 | 10.4 |
| October-December | 1,013,747 | 389,923 | 148,527 | 4,725 | 1,398,945 | 27.9 | 10.6 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 218,867 | 115,326 | 53,190 | 2,251 | 331,942 | 34.7 | 16.0 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 309,778 | 214,984 | 77,498 | 1,990 | 522,772 | 41.1 | 14.8 |
| February | 236,580 | 158,817 | 59,074 | 4,611 | 390,786 | 40.6 | 15.1 |
| March | 321,360 | 140,792 | 36,550 | 2,931 | 459,221 | 30.7 | 8.0 |
| April | 307,164 | 144,915 | 39,458 | 1,780 | 450,299 | 32.2 | 8.8 |
| May | 336,375 | 211,351 | 48,732 | 1,539 | 546,187 | 38.7 | 8.9 |
| June | 328,642 | 213,757 | 77,553 | 1,540 | 540,859 | 39.5 | 14.3 |
| July | 293,863 | 159,325 | 40,227 | 1,073 | 452,115 | 35.2 | 8.9 |
| August | 345,179 | 184,293 | 56,988 | 1,626 | 527,846 | 34.9 | 10.8 |
| September | 344,329 | 182,569 | 59,782 | 1,425 | 525,473 | 34.7 | 11.4 |
| October | 360,540 | 101,762 | 29,282 | 1,487 | 460,815 | 22.1 | 6.4 |
| November | 334,336 | 136,692 | 61,393 | 1,826 | 469,202 | 29.1 | 13.1 |
| December | 318,871 | 151,469 | 57,852 | 1,407 | 468,933 | 32.3 | 12.3 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | -4.6 | 10.8 | -5.8 | -22.9 | 0.1 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 45.7 | 31.3 | 8.8 | -37.5 | 41.3 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 19.--Carbon steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 203,513 | 268,578 | 17,968 | 203,513 | 36,696 | 18,061 | 268,578 | -50.8 | 0.5 | 32.0 |
| France | 50,282 | 72,818 | 13,687 | 50,282 | 2,570 | 6,901 | 72,818 | 168.5 | -49.6 | 44.8 |
| Italy | 48 | 2,570 | 0 | 48 | 1,583 | 889 | 2,570 | -43.8 | - | 1/ |
| Netherlands | 158 | 0 | 10 | 158 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | -100.0 | -100.0 |
| United Kingdom | 83,918 | 144,485 | 9,262 | 83,918 | 12,480 | 16,233 | 144,485 | 30.1 | 75.3 | 72.2 |
| West Germany | 106,932 | 155,938 | 12,263 | 106,932 | 8,064 | 15,767 | 155,938 | 95.5 | 28.6 | 45.8 |
| All other | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| Subtotal, EC | 444,850 | 644,388 | 53,190 | 444,850 | 61,393 | 57,852 | 644,388 | -5.8 | 8.8 | 44.9 |
| Brazil | 17,241 | 11,193 | 678 | 17,241 | 49 | 120 | 11,193 | 144.9 | -82.3 | -35.1 |
| Canada | 239,837 | 260,075 | 14,559 | 239,837 | 20,695 | 20,537 | 260,075 | -0.8 | 41.1 | 8.4 |
| Japan | 700,251 | 660,650 | 34,633 | 700,251 | 30,783 | 29,004 | 660,650 | -5.8 | -16.3 | -5.7 |
| Republic of Korea | 100,900 | 100,054 | 3,544 | 100,900 | 1,183 | 2,264 | 100,054 | 91.4 | -36.1 | -0.8 |
| Spain | 270,385 | 161,526 | 2,569 | 270,385 | 3,354 | 18,435 | 161,526 | 449.6 | 617.6 | -40.3 |
| All other | 281,669 | 162,839 | 6,154 | 281,669 | 19,235 | 23,257 | 162,839 | 20.9 | 277.9 | -42.2 |
| Total, all sources | 2,055,134 | 2,000,725 | 115,326 | 2,055,134 | 136,692 | 151,469 | 2,000,725 | 10.8 | 31.3 | -2.6 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 59,748 | 78,299 | 5,848 | 59,748 | 11,200 | 5,626 | 78,299 | -49.8 | -3.8 | 31.0 |
| France | 12,534 | 17,677 | 3,295 | 12,534 | 687 | 1,847 | 17,677 | 168.9 | -43.9 | 41.0 |
| Italy | 55 | 761 | 0 | 55 | 337 | 264 | 761 | -21.7 | - | 1/ |
| Netherlands | 42 | 0 | 2 | 42 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | -100.0 | -100.0 |
| United Kingdom | 29,012 | 47,953 | 3,507 | 29,012 | 3,524 | 5,820 | 47,953 | 65.2 | 66.0 | 65.3 |
| West Germany | 31,091 | 46,168 | 3,443 | 31,091 | 2,071 | 5,639 | 46,168 | 172.3 | 63.8 | 48.5 |
| All other | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| Subtotal, EC | 132,483 | 190,859 | 16,096 | 132,483 | 17,819 | 19,195 | 190,859 | 7.7 | 19.3 | 44.1 |
| Brazil | 3,899 | 2,609 | 157 | 3,899 | 15 | 7 | 2,609 | -53.3 | -95.5 | -33.1 |
| Canada | 77,779 | 80,682 | 5,067 | 77,779 | 6,338 | 6,213 | 80,682 | -2.0 | 22.6 | 3.7 |
| Japan | 201,183 | 188,218 | 9,651 | 201,183 | 9,593 | 8,869 | 188,218 | -7.5 | -8.1 | -6.4 |
| Republic of Korea | 25,990 | 24,932 | 895 | 25,990 | 302 | 623 | 24,932 | 106.3 | -30.4 | -4.1 |
| Spain | 64,770 | 39,647 | 578 | 64,770 | 853 | 5,169 | 39,647 | 506.0 | 794.3 | -38.8 |
| All other | 66,658 | 39,931 | 1,422 | 68,658 | 4,590 | 5,789 | 39,931 | 26.1 | 307.1 | -41.8 |
| Total, all sources | 574,761 | 566,878 | 33,866 | 574,761 | 39,509 | 45,865 | 566,878 | 16.1 | 35.4 | -1.4 |

See footnote at end of table.

Table 19.--Carbon steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 294 | 292 | 326 | 294 | 305 | 311 | 292 | 2.0 | -4.6 | -0.7 |
| France | 249 | 243 | 241 | 249 | 267 | 268 | 243 | 0.4 | 11.2 | -2.4 |
| Italy | 1,150 | 296 | - | 1,150 | 213 | 297 | 296 | 39.4 | - | -74.3 |
| Netherlands | 266 | - | 247 | 266 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 346 | 332 | 379 | 346 | 282 | 358 | 332 | 27.0 | -5.5 | -4.0 |
| West Germany | 291 | 296 | 281 | 291 | 257 | 358 | 296 | 39.3 | 27.4 | 1.7 |
| All other | 1,824 | - | - | 1,824 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 298 | 296 | 303 | 298 | 290 | 332 | 296 | 14.5 | 9.6 | -0.7 |
| Brazil | 226 | 233 | 232 | 226 | 297 | 57 | 233 | -80.8 | -75.4 | 3.1 |
| Canada | 324 | 310 | 348 | 324 | 306 | 303 | 310 | -1.0 | -12.9 | -4.3 |
| Japan | 287 | 285 | 279 | 287 | 312 | 306 | 285 | -1.9 | 9.7 | -0.7 |
| Republic of Korea | 258 | 249 | 252 | 258 | 255 | 275 | 249 | 7.8 | 9.1 | -3.5 |
| Spain | 240 | 245 | 225 | 240 | 254 | 280 | 245 | 10.2 | 24.4 | 2.1 |
| All other | 244 | 245 | 231 | 244 | 239 | 249 | 245 | 4.2 | 7.8 | 0.4 |
| Total, all sources | 280 | 283 | 294 | 280 | 289 | 303 | 283 | 4.8 | 3.1 | 1.1 |

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 20.--Alloy steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 436,504 | 21,690 | 4,708 | 10,050 | 448,144 | 4.8 | 1.1 |
| 1983 | 461,726 | 11,887 | 3,745 | 10,151 | 463,462 | 2.6 | 0.8 |
| 1984 | 498,119 | 30,880 | 14,174 | 5,196 | 523,803 | 5.9 | 2.7 |
| 1985 | 521,878 | 27,327 | 15,010 | 18,394 | 530,811 | 5.1 | 2.8 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 132,574 | 9,142 | 4,371 | 1,403 | 140,313 | 6.5 | 3.1 |
| April-June | 141,262 | 5,766 | 2,926 | 1,463 | 145,565 | 4.0 | 2.0 |
| July-September | 120,669 | 8,583 | 3,667 | 997 | 128,255 | 7.0 | 2.9 |
| October-December | 105,339 | 7,390 | 3,209 | 1,333 | 111,396 | 6.6 | 2.9 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 135,591 | 7,785 | 4,985 | 2,852 | 140,524 | 5.5 | 3.5 |
| April-June | 134,339 | 4,576 | 912 | 7,867 | 131,048 | 3.5 | 0.7 |
| July-September | 122,825 | 5,291 | 2,547 | 4,297 | 123,819 | 4.3 | 2.1 |
| October-December | 116,826 | 9,675 | 6,567 | 3,377 | 123,124 | 7.9 | 5.3 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 38,217 | 2,527 | 633 | 377 | 40,367 | 6.3 | 1.6 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 49,145 | 4,349 | 2,768 | 362 | 53,132 | 8.2 | 5.2 |
| February | 44,705 | 987 | 487 | 1,925 | 43,767 | 2.3 | 1.1 |
| March | 43,154 | 2,449 | 1,730 | 565 | 45,038 | 5.4 | 3.8 |
| April | 45,420 | 1,337 | 30 | 2,376 | 44,381 | 3.0 | 0.1 |
| May | 44,913 | 938 | 225 | 4,477 | 41,374 | 2.3 | 0.5 |
| June | 45,243 | 2,301 | 658 | 1,014 | 46,530 | 4.9 | 0.1 |
| July | 37,159 | 874 | 302 | 1,805 | 36,228 | 2.4 | 0.8 |
| August | 45,127 | 2,693 | 1,344 | 635 | 47,185 | 5.7 | 2.8 |
| September | 40,539 | 1,724 | 901 | 1,857 | 40,406 | 4.3 | 2.2 |
| October | 43,047 | 2,191 | 1,632 | 1,866 | 43,372 | 5.1 | 3.8 |
| November | 38,504 | 2,409 | 1,460 | 1,074 | 39,839 | 6.0 | 3.7 |
| December | 35,275 | 5,075 | 3,475 | 438 | 39,912 | 12.7 | 8.7 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | -8.4 | 110.7 | 138.0 | -59.2 | 0.2 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | -7.7 | 100.8 | 449.0 | 16.2 | -1.1 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 21.--Alloy steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 0 | 704 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 704 | - | - | - |
| France | 55 | 0 | 0 | 55 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| Italy | 520 | 960 | 36 | 520 | 240 | 61 | 960 | -74.6 | 69.4 | 84.6 |
| Netherlands | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| United Kingdom | 13,128 | 13,040 | 570 | 13,128 | 1,185 | 3,409 | 13,040 | 187.7 | 498.1 | -0.7 |
| West Germany | 468 | 306 | 26 | 468 | 35 | 5 | 306 | -85.7 | -80.8 | -34.6 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 14,174 | 15,010 | 633 | 14,174 | 1,460 | 3,475 | 15,010 | 138.0 | 449.0 | 5.9 |
| Brazil | 370 | 164 | 3 | 370 | 0 | 0 | 164 | - | -100.0 | -55.7 |
| Canada | 3,377 | 994 | 87 | 3,377 | 18 | 52 | 994 | 188.9 | -40.2 | -70.6 |
| Japan | 11,183 | 8,582 | 1,674 | 11,183 | 568 | 1,115 | 8,582 | 96.3 | -33.4 | -23.3 |
| Republic of Korea | 0 | 60 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 60 | - | - | - |
| Spain | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| All other | 1,777 | 2,516 | 130 | 1,777 | 364 | 433 | 2,516 | 19.0 | 233.1 | 41.6 |
| Total, all sources | 30,880 | 27,327 | 2,527 | 30,880 | 2,409 | 5,075 | 27,327 | 110.7 | 100.8 | -11.5 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 0 | 262 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 262 | - | - | - |
| France | 109 | 0 | 0 | 109 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| Italy | 900 | 1,498 | 47 | 900 | 436 | 112 | 1,498 | -74.3 | 138.3 | 66.4 |
| Netherlands | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| United Kingdom | 6,263 | 5,908 | 223 | 6,263 | 481 | 1,430 | 5,908 | 197.3 | 541.3 | -5.7 |
| West Germany | 1,168 | 827 | 39 | 1,168 | 102 | 30 | 827 | -70.6 | -23.1 | -29.2 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 8,442 | 8,495 | 308 | 8,442 | 1,019 | 1,571 | 8,495 | 54.2 | 410.1 | 0.6 |
| Brazil | 570 | 360 | 5 | 570 | 0 | 0 | 360 | - | -100.0 | -36.8 |
| Canada | 1,260 | 616 | 30 | 1,260 | 17 | 27 | 616 | 58.8 | -10.0 | -51.1 |
| Japan | 14,271 | 14,058 | 1,271 | 14,271 | 1,100 | 2,178 | 14,058 | 98.0 | 71.4 | -1.5 |
| Republic of Korea | 0 | 59 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 59 | - | - | - |
| Spain | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| All other | 2,854 | 4,403 | 263 | 2,854 | 633 | 757 | 4,403 | 19.6 | 187.8 | 54.3 |
| Total, all sources | 27,397 | 27,989 | 1,877 | 27,397 | 2,770 | 4,533 | 27,989 | 63.6 | 141.5 | 2.2 |

Table 21.--Alloy steel structural shapes subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | - | 372 | - | - | - | - | 372 | - | - | - |
| France | 1,973 | - | - | 1,973 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Italy | 1,731 | 1,560 | 1,290 | 1,731 | 1,819 | 1,819 | 1,560 | 0.0 | 41.0 | -9.9 |
| Netherlands | 745 | - | - | 745 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 477 | 453 | 391 | 477 | 406 | 419 | 453 | 3.2 | 7.2 | -5.0 |
| West Germany | 2,496 | 2,702 | 1,462 | 2,496 | 2,937 | 5,926 | 2,702 | 101.8 | 305.3 | 8.3 |
| All other | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 596 | 566 | 487 | 596 | 698 | 452 | 566 | -55.2 | -7.2 | -5.0 |
| Brazil | 1,542 | 2,191 | 1,530 | 1,542 | - | - | 2,191 | - | - | 42.1 |
| Canada | 373 | 619 | 342 | 373 | 972 | 516 | 619 | -46.9 | 50.9 | 66.0 |
| Japan | 1,276 | 1,638 | 759 | 1,276 | 1,938 | 1,954 | 1,638 | 0.8 | 157.4 | 28.4 |
| Republic of Korea | - | 969 | - | - | - | - | 969 | - | - | |
| Spain | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| All other | 1,606 | 1,750 | 2,029 | 1,606 | 1,737 | 1,748 | 1,750 | 0.6 | -13.8 | 9.0 |
| Total, all sources | 887 | 1,024 | 745 | 887 | 1,150 | 893 | 1,024 | -22.3 | 20.2 | 15.4 |

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table [illegible] Carbon steel wire rod subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 2,366,437 | 854,911 | 172,591 | 8,494 | 3,212,854 | 26.6 | 5.4 |
| 1983 | 2,795,340 | 1,091,189 | 120,546 | 1,304 | 3,885,225 | 28.1 | 3.1 |
| 1984 | 3,003,160 | 1,439,118 | 178,513 | 3,138 | 4,439,140 | 32.4 | 4.0 |
| 1985 | 2,922,622 | 1,312,163 | 216,465 | 1,876 | 4,232,709 | 31.0 | 5.1 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 867,978 | 399,475 | 55,162 | 569 | 1,266,884 | 31.5 | 4.4 |
| April-June | 729,755 | 316,880 | 43,322 | 1,729 | 1,044,906 | 30.3 | 4.1 |
| July-September | 715,971 | 358,928 | 41,696 | 563 | 1,074,336 | 33.4 | 3.9 |
| October-December | 625,569 | 363,837 | 38,332 | 277 | 989,129 | 36.8 | 3.9 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 698,121 | 341,278 | 77,830 | 365 | 1,039,034 | 32.8 | 7.5 |
| April-June | 785,601 | 377,817 | 39,709 | 318 | 1,163,100 | 32.5 | 3.4 |
| July-September | 713,466 | 339,441 | 48,958 | 820 | 1,052,087 | 32.3 | 4.7 |
| October-December | 724,157 | 253,626 | 49,968 | 373 | 977,410 | 25.9 | 5.1 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 171,702 | 134,897 | 23,715 | 28 | 306,571 | 44.0 | 7.7 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 174,689 | 121,742 | 20,411 | 42 | 296,389 | 41.1 | 6.9 |
| February | 229,524 | 120,566 | 44,467 | 233 | 349,857 | 34.5 | 12.7 |
| March | 264,286 | 98,970 | 12,951 | 90 | 363,166 | 27.3 | 3.6 |
| April | 245,181 | 100,008 | 8,598 | 155 | 345,034 | 29.0 | 2.5 |
| May | 271,023 | 109,779 | 18,036 | 29 | 380,773 | 28.8 | 4.7 |
| June | 261,378 | 168,030 | 13,075 | 134 | 429,274 | 39.1 | 3.0 |
| July | 226,220 | 106,090 | 11,387 | 581 | 331,729 | 32.0 | 3.4 |
| August | 245,873 | 111,942 | 12,439 | 121 | 357,694 | 31.3 | 3.5 |
| September | 241,373 | 121,409 | 25,132 | 118 | 362,664 | 33.5 | 6.9 |
| October | 255,699 | 65,640 | 12,815 | 73 | 321,266 | 20.4 | 4.0 |
| November | 245,459 | 79,027 | 15,205 | 124 | 324,362 | 24.4 | 4.7 |
| December | 222,999 | 108,959 | 21,948 | 176 | 331,782 | 32.8 | 6.6 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | -9.2 | 37.9 | 44.3 | 41.9 | 2.3 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 29.9 | -19.2 | -7.5 | 528.6 | 8.2 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 23.--Carbon steel wire rod subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 16,730 | 17,182 | 1,908 | 16,730 | 1,540 | 2,456 | 17,182 | 59.5 | 28.7 | 2.7 |
| France | 98,434 | 115,299 | 11,590 | 98,434 | 7,414 | 9,797 | 115,299 | 32.1 | -15.5 | 17.1 |
| Italy | 20 | 3,822 | 18 | 20 | 0 | 659 | 3,822 | - | 1/ | 1/ |
| Netherlands | 7,637 | 6,442 | 498 | 7,637 | 500 | 353 | 6,442 | -29.4 | -29.1 | -15.6 |
| United Kingdom | 37,275 | 40,756 | 5,757 | 37,275 | 2,460 | 4,510 | 40,756 | 83.3 | -21.7 | 9.3 |
| West Germany | 18,417 | 32,963 | 3,945 | 18,417 | 3,292 | 4,172 | 32,963 | 26.7 | 5.8 | 79.0 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 178,513 | 216,465 | 23,715 | 178,513 | 15,205 | 21,948 | 216,465 | 44.3 | -7.5 | 21.3 |
| Brazil | 33,384 | 43,935 | 1,650 | 33,384 | 2,435 | 0 | 43,935 | -100.0 | -100.0 | 31.6 |
| Canada | 349,609 | 336,587 | 33,263 | 349,609 | 26,992 | 20,951 | 336,587 | -22.4 | -37 0 | -3.7 |
| Japan | 282,183 | 236,553 | 24,163 | 282,183 | 11,357 | 19,701 | 236,553 | 73.5 | -18.5 | -16.2 |
| Republic of Korea | 5,198 | 1,895 | 0 | 5,198 | 0 | 42 | 1,895 | - | - | -63.5 |
| Spain | 129,997 | 32,173 | 101 | 129,997 | 2,778 | 13,363 | 32,173 | 381.0 | 1/ | -75.3 |
| All other | 460,234 | 444,554 | 52,004 | 460,234 | 20,260 | 32,954 | 444,554 | 62.7 | -36.6 | -3.4 |
| Total, all sources | 1,439,118 | 1,312,163 | 134,897 | 1,439,118 | 79,027 | 108,959 | 1,312,163 | 37.9 | -19.2 | -8.8 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 4,313 | 4,724 | 488 | 4,313 | 417 | 587 | 4,724 | 40.8 | 20.3 | 9.5 |
| France | 30,748 | 33,113 | 4,429 | 30,748 | 2,191 | 3,061 | 33,113 | 39.7 | -30.9 | 7.7 |
| Italy | 6 | 877 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 155 | 877 | - | 1/ | 1/ |
| Netherlands | 2,716 | 2,468 | 200 | 2,716 | 174 | 239 | 2,468 | 37.4 | 19.5 | -9.1 |
| United Kingdom | 11,443 | 12,801 | 1,733 | 11,443 | 857 | 1,423 | 12,801 | 66.0 | -17.9 | 11.9 |
| West Germany | 7,355 | 11,577 | 1,460 | 7,355 | 1,127 | 1,117 | 11,577 | -0.9 | -23.5 | 57.4 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 56,581 | 65,559 | 8,312 | 56,581 | 4,766 | 6,584 | 65,559 | 38.1 | -20.8 | 15.9 |
| Brazil | 8,683 | 10,086 | 443 | 8,683 | 677 | 0 | 10,086 | -100.0 | -100.0 | 16.2 |
| Canada | 118,155 | 109,101 | 11,113 | 118,155 | 8,729 | 7,224 | 109,101 | -17.2 | -35.0 | -7.7 |
| Japan | 107,303 | 84,656 | 10,052 | 107,303 | 4,217 | 7,526 | 84,656 | 78.5 | -25.1 | -21.1 |
| Republic of Korea | 1,348 | 506 | 0 | 1,348 | 0 | 17 | 506 | - | - | -62.5 |
| Spain | 30,809 | 8,466 | 45 | 30,809 | 701 | 3,380 | 8,466 | 382.2 | 1/ | -72.5 |
| All other | 104,701 | 106,243 | 13,008 | 104,701 | 4,806 | 7,953 | 106,243 | 65.5 | -38.9 | 1.5 |
| Total, all sources | 427,586 | 384,616 | 42,973 | 427,580 | 23,897 | 32,683 | 384,616 | 36.8 | -23.9 | -10.0 |

See footnote at end of table.

Table 23.--Carbon steel wire rod subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 258 | 275 | 256 | 258 | 271 | 239 | 275 | -11.8 | -6.6 | 6.6 |
| France | 312 | 287 | 382 | 312 | 296 | 312 | 287 | 5.4 | -18.3 | -8.0 |
| Italy | 285 | 229 | 161 | 285 | - | 236 | 229 | - | 46.6 | -19.6 |
| Netherlands | 356 | 383 | 401 | 356 | 349 | 678 | 383 | 94.3 | 69.1 | 7.6 |
| United Kingdom | 307 | 314 | 301 | 307 | 348 | 316 | 314 | -9.2 | 5.0 | 2.3 |
| West Germany | 399 | 351 | 370 | 399 | 342 | 268 | 351 | -21.6 | -27.6 | -12.0 |
| All other | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 317 | 303 | 351 | 317 | 313 | 300 | 303 | -4.2 | -14.5 | -4.4 |
| Brazil | 260 | 230 | 269 | 260 | 278 | - | 230 | - | - | -11.5 |
| Canada | 338 | 324 | 334 | 338 | 323 | 345 | 324 | 6.8 | 3.3 | -4.1 |
| Japan | 380 | 358 | 416 | 380 | 371 | 382 | 358 | 3.0 | -8.2 | -5.8 |
| Republic of Korea | 259 | 267 | - | 259 | - | 394 | 267 | - | - | 3.1 |
| Spain | 237 | 263 | 451 | 237 | 252 | 253 | 263 | 0.4 | -43.9 | 11.0 |
| All other | 227 | 239 | 250 | 227 | 237 | 241 | 239 | 1.7 | -3.6 | 5.3 |
| Total, all sources | 297 | 293 | 319 | 297 | 302 | 300 | 293 | -0.7 | -6.0 | -1.3 |

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 24.--Hot-rolled carbon steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 3,250,483 | 289,381 | 96,452 | 31,014 | 3,508,850 | 8.2 | 2.7 |
| 1983 | 3,655,584 | 312,536 | 83,342 | 36,591 | 3,931,529 | 7.9 | 2.1 |
| 1984 | 4,260,238 | 530,445 | 118,742 | 32,161 | 4,758,522 | 11.1 | 2.5 |
| 1985 | 3,934,713 | 432,718 | 126,280 | 27,577 | 4,339,854 | 10.0 | 2.9 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 1,098,352 | 134,185 | 31,302 | 8,376 | 1,224,161 | 11.0 | 2.6 |
| April-June | 1,086,921 | 129,943 | 28,490 | 10,101 | 1,206,763 | 10.7 | 2.3 |
| July-September | 935,752 | 117,242 | 27,563 | 6,804 | 1,046,190 | 11.2 | 2.6 |
| October-December | 874,834 | 149,075 | 31,386 | 6,880 | 1,017,029 | 14.7 | 3.1 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 1,045,698 | 144,331 | 42,141 | 6,821 | 1,183,208 | 12.2 | 3.6 |
| April-June | 1,013,801 | 109,736 | 20,269 | 7,884 | 1,115,653 | 9.8 | 1.8 |
| July-September | 926,923 | 87,093 | 28,293 | 6,058 | 1,007,958 | 8.6 | 2.8 |
| October-December | 936,383 | 91,559 | 35,578 | 6,815 | 1,021,127 | 9.0 | 3.5 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 245,268 | 44,833 | 13,562 | 2,813 | 287,288 | 15.6 | 4.7 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 331,794 | 49,918 | 13,699 | 2,599 | 379,113 | 13.2 | 3.6 |
| February | 352,494 | 54,201 | 25,391 | 2,456 | 404,239 | 13.4 | 6.3 |
| March | 351,112 | 40,212 | 3,051 | 1,766 | 389,558 | 10.3 | 0.8 |
| April | 357,792 | 33,978 | 4,127 | 1,375 | 390,395 | 8.7 | 1.1 |
| May | 347,927 | 34,782 | 6,249 | 1,780 | 380,929 | 9.1 | 1.6 |
| June | 312,338 | 40,976 | 9,893 | 4,729 | 348,585 | 11.8 | 2.8 |
| July | 279,408 | 28,360 | 11,049 | 1,656 | 306,112 | 9.3 | 3.6 |
| August | 306,140 | 28,027 | 8,720 | 1,915 | 332,252 | 8.4 | 2.6 |
| September | 341,375 | 30,706 | 8,524 | 2,487 | 369,594 | 8.3 | 2.3 |
| October | 343,565 | 19,526 | 3,294 | 3,913 | 359,178 | 5.4 | 0.9 |
| November | 307,717 | 29,444 | 12,605 | 1,816 | 335,345 | 8.8 | 3.8 |
| December | 285,101 | 42,589 | 19,679 | 1,086 | 326,604 | 13.0 | 6.0 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | -7.3 | 44.6 | 56.1 | -40.2 | -2.6 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 16.2 | -5.0 | 45.1 | -61.4 | 13.7 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 25.--Hot-rolled carbon steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 19,841 | 12,442 | 1,025 | 19,841 | 1,021 | 1,682 | 12,442 | 64.7 | 64.1 | -37.3 |
| France | 2,150 | 2,334 | 0 | 2,150 | 0 | 27 | 2,334 | - | - | 8.6 |
| Italy | 185 | 506 | 119 | 185 | 0 | 0 | 506 | - | -100.0 | 173.5 |
| Netherlands | 86 | 38 | 0 | 86 | 1/ | 0 | 38 | - | - | -55.8 |
| United Kingdom | 78,234 | 86,970 | 9,198 | 78,234 | 11,049 | 12,620 | 86,970 | 14.2 | 37.2 | 11.2 |
| West Germany | 18,246 | 23,989 | 3,221 | 18,246 | 535 | 5,350 | 23,989 | 900.0 | 66.1 | 31.5 |
| All other | 1/ | 0 | 1/ | 1/ | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 118,742 | 126,280 | 13,562 | 118,742 | 12,605 | 19,679 | 126,280 | 56.1 | 45.1 | 6.3 |
| Brazil | 94,102 | 41,493 | 11,054 | 94,102 | 422 | 656 | 41,493 | 55.5 | -94.1 | -55.9 |
| Canada | 182,483 | 138,955 | 11,355 | 182,483 | 8,897 | 10,713 | 138,955 | 20.4 | -5.7 | -23.9 |
| Japan | 75,592 | 61,831 | 4,383 | 75,592 | 3,747 | 6,614 | 61,831 | 76.5 | 35.4 | -18.2 |
| Republic of Korea | 15,093 | 11,659 | 291 | 15,093 | 1,145 | 428 | 11,659 | -62.6 | 47.1 | -22.8 |
| Spain | 21,969 | 22,006 | 2,627 | 21,969 | 322 | 491 | 22,006 | 52.5 | -81.3 | 0.2 |
| All other | 22,464 | 30,495 | 1,062 | 22,464 | 2,307 | 6,008 | 30,495 | 73.7 | 277.4 | 35.8 |
| Total, all sources | 530,445 | 432,718 | 44,833 | 530,445 | 29,444 | 42,589 | 432,718 | 44.6 | -5.0 | -18.4 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 4,903 | 3,244 | 280 | 4,903 | 250 | 412 | 3,244 | 64.8 | 47.1 | -33.8 |
| France | 754 | 990 | 0 | 754 | 0 | 8 | 990 | - | - | 31.3 |
| Italy | 129 | 790 | 36 | 129 | 0 | C | 790 | - | -100.0 | 512.4 |
| Netherlands | 27 | 17 | 0 | 27 | 2 | 0 | 17 | -100.0 | - | -37.0 |
| United Kingdom | 29,468 | 31,318 | 3,473 | 29,468 | 3,628 | 4,069 | 31,318 | 12.2 | 17.2 | 6.3 |
| West Germany | 5,711 | 8,440 | 1,093 | 5,711 | 216 | 1,620 | 8,440 | 650.0 | 48.2 | 47.8 |
| All other | 1 | 0 | 1/ | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| Subtotal, EC | 40,993 | 44,799 | 4,883 | 40,993 | 4,096 | 6,110 | 44,799 | 49.2 | 25.1 | 9.3 |
| Brazil | 27,516 | 12,251 | 3,270 | 27,516 | 125 | 200 | 12,251 | 60.0 | -93.9 | -55.5 |
| Canada | 65,806 | 49,741 | 4,122 | 65,806 | 3,305 | 3,812 | 49,741 | 15.3 | -7.5 | -24.4 |
| Japan | 27,479 | 21,855 | 1,874 | 27,479 | 1,154 | 2,492 | 21,855 | 115.9 | 33.0 | -20.5 |
| Republic of Korea | 4,147 | 3,133 | 81 | 4,147 | 274 | 114 | 3,133 | -58.4 | 40.7 | -24.5 |
| Spain | 8,016 | 6,743 | 1,097 | 8,016 | 95 | 187 | 6,743 | 96.8 | -83.0 | -15.9 |
| All other | 6,505 | 8,865 | 305 | 6,505 | 646 | 1,046 | 8,865 | 61.9 | 243.0 | 36.3 |
| Total, all sources | 180,461 | 147,387 | 15,631 | 180,461 | 9,694 | 13,962 | 147,387 | 44.0 | -10.7 | -18.3 |

See footnote at end of table.

Table 25.--Hot-rolled carbon steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 247 | 261 | 274 | 247 | 245 | 245 | 261 | 0.0 | -10.6 | 5.7 |
| France | 351 | 424 | - | 351 | - | 310 | 424 | - | - | 20.8 |
| Italy | 698 | 1,562 | 307 | 698 | - | - | 1,562 | - | - | 123.8 |
| Netherlands | 310 | 437 | - | 310 | - | - | 437 | - | - | 41.0 |
| United Kingdom | 377 | 360 | 378 | 377 | 328 | 322 | 360 | -1.8 | -14.8 | -4.5 |
| West Germany | 313 | 352 | 339 | 313 | 405 | 305 | 352 | -25.2 | -10.6 | 12.5 |
| All other | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 345 | 355 | 340 | 345 | 325 | 310 | 355 | -4.6 | -13.9 | 2.9 |
| Brazil | 292 | 295 | 296 | 292 | 298 | 305 | 295 | 2.3 | 3.0 | 1.0 |
| Canada | 361 | 358 | 363 | 361 | 371 | 356 | 358 | -4.0 | -1.9 | -0.8 |
| Japan | 364 | 353 | 384 | 364 | 308 | 377 | 353 | 22.4 | -1.8 | -3.0 |
| Republic of Korea | 275 | 269 | 277 | 275 | 239 | 268 | 269 | 12.1 | -3.2 | -2.2 |
| Spain | 365 | 306 | 418 | 365 | 294 | 381 | 306 | 29.6 | -8.9 | -16.2 |
| All other | 290 | 291 | 287 | 290 | 280 | 261 | 291 | -6.8 | -9.1 | 0.3 |
| Total, all sources | 340 | 341 | 349 | 340 | 329 | 328 | 341 | -0.3 | -6.0 | 0.3 |

1/ Negligible.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 26. Hot-rolled alloy steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 1,475,437 | 140,772 | 20,532 | 42,721 | 1,573,488 | 8.9 | 1.3 |
| 1983 | 1,445,550 | 118,708 | 5,189 | 48,576 | 1,515,682 | 7.8 | 0.3 |
| 1984 | 1,772,492 | 190,784 | 5,016 | 45,956 | 1,917,320 | 10.0 | 0.3 |
| 1985 | 1,550,281 | 187,006 | 8,112 | 29,402 | 1,707,885 | 10.9 | 0.5 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 461,377 | 48,737 | 911 | 14,223 | 495,891 | 9.8 | 0.2 |
| April-June | 491,720 | 42,784 | 1,945 | 7,753 | 526,751 | 8.1 | 0.3 |
| July-September | 441,393 | 47,659 | 1,036 | 11,394 | 477,658 | 10.0 | 0.2 |
| October-December | 392,778 | 51,604 | 1,124 | 12,586 | 431,796 | 12.0 | 0.3 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 434,527 | 50,554 | 2,889 | 11,388 | 473,693 | 10.7 | 0.6 |
| April-June | 435,990 | 49,581 | 2,058 | 9,513 | 476,058 | 10.4 | 0.4 |
| July-September | 343,551 | 41,070 | 925 | 5,414 | 379,207 | 10.8 | 0.2 |
| October-December | 340,566 | 45,800 | 2,239 | 3,086 | 383,280 | 11.9 | 0.6 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 106,460 | 16,905 | 341 | 2,603 | 120,762 | 14.0 | 0.3 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 153,557 | 12,941 | 781 | 4,192 | 162,306 | 8.0 | 0.5 |
| February | 129,563 | 20,226 | 1,343 | 3,500 | 146,289 | 13.8 | 0.9 |
| March | 152,214 | 17,387 | 765 | 3,696 | 165,905 | 10.5 | 0.5 |
| April | 151,402 | 14,038 | 1,047 | 3,013 | 162,427 | 8.6 | 0.6 |
| May | 148,646 | 17,420 | 469 | 3,354 | 162,712 | 10.7 | 0.3 |
| June | 130,909 | 18,123 | 543 | 3,146 | 145,886 | 12.4 | 0.4 |
| July | 105,948 | 12,950 | 349 | 1,826 | 117,072 | 11.1 | 0.3 |
| August | 122,081 | 13,386 | 161 | 2,416 | 133,051 | 10.1 | 0.1 |
| September | 115,522 | 14,734 | 415 | 1,172 | 129,084 | 11.4 | 0.3 |
| October | 134,693 | 13,183 | 214 | 1,042 | 146,834 | 9.0 | 0.1 |
| November | 109,960 | 14,160 | 568 | 1,201 | 122,919 | 11.5 | 0.5 |
| December | 95,913 | 18,457 | 1,457 | 843 | 113,527 | 16.3 | 1.3 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | -12.8 | 30.3 | 156.5 | -29.8 | -7.6 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | -9.9 | 9.2 | 327.3 | -67.6 | -5.0 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 27.--Hot-rolled alloy steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 20 | 33 | 20 | 20 | 0 | 4 | 33 | - | -80.0 | 65.0 |
| France | 434 | 556 | 0 | 434 | 0 | 17 | 556 | - | - | 28.1 |
| Italy | 901 | 267 | 0 | 901 | 0 | 0 | 267 | - | - | -70.4 |
| Netherlands | 28 | 140 | 0 | 28 | 0 | 54 | 140 | - | - | 400.0 |
| United Kingdom | 1,564 | 4,727 | 135 | 1,564 | 345 | 815 | 4,727 | 136.2 | 503.7 | 202.2 |
| West Germany | 2,069 | 2,389 | 186 | 2,069 | 224 | 567 | 2,389 | 153.1 | 204.8 | 15.5 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 5,016 | 8,112 | 341 | 5,016 | 568 | 1,457 | 8,112 | 156.5 | 327.3 | 61.7 |
| Brazil | 10,578 | 10,733 | 1,331 | 10,578 | 1,497 | 104 | 10,733 | -93.1 | -92.3 | 1.5 |
| Canada | 102,006 | 110,466 | 8,964 | 102,006 | 7,948 | 10,994 | 110,466 | 38.3 | 22.6 | 8.3 |
| Japan | 38,191 | 31,739 | 2,059 | 38,191 | 612 | 3,219 | 31,739 | 426.0 | 56.3 | -16.9 |
| Republic of Korea | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Spain | 26,066 | 14,245 | 3,351 | 26,066 | 2,687 | 1,391 | 14,245 | -48.2 | -58.5 | -45.4 |
| All other | 8,927 | 11,710 | 839 | 8,927 | 848 | 1,292 | 11,710 | 52.4 | 54.0 | 31.2 |
| Total, all sources | 190,784 | 187,006 | 16,905 | 190,784 | 14,160 | 18,457 | 187,006 | 30.3 | 9.2 | -2.0 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 11 | 39 | 11 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 39 | - | -72.7 | 254.5 |
| France | 129 | 377 | 0 | 129 | 0 | 7 | 377 | - | - | 192.2 |
| Italy | 327 | 152 | 0 | 327 | 0 | 0 | 152 | - | - | -53.5 |
| Netherlands | 15 | 67 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 21 | 67 | - | - | 346.7 |
| United Kingdom | 1,138 | 4,433 | 127 | 1,138 | 381 | 482 | 4,433 | 26.5 | 279.5 | 289.5 |
| West Germany | 1,677 | 1,407 | 138 | 1,677 | 137 | 226 | 1,407 | 65.0 | 63.8 | -16.1 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 3,296 | 6,475 | 275 | 3,296 | 518 | 739 | 6,475 | 42.7 | 168.7 | 96.5 |
| Brazil | 3,918 | 3,989 | 505 | 3,918 | 608 | 35 | 3,989 | -94.2 | -93.1 | 1.8 |
| Canada | 47,251 | 44,429 | 4,048 | 47,251 | 3,070 | 4,189 | 44,429 | 36.4 | 3.5 | -6.0 |
| Japan | 16,477 | 15,970 | 878 | 16,477 | 436 | 1,490 | 15,970 | 241.7 | 69.7 | -3.1 |
| Republic of Korea | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Spain | 9,828 | 5,118 | 1,205 | 9,828 | 784 | 434 | 5,118 | -44.6 | -64.0 | -47.9 |
| All other | 4,825 | 5,590 | 449 | 4,825 | 372 | 625 | 5,590 | 59.4 | 39.2 | 15.9 |
| Total, all sources | 85,596 | 81,571 | 7,360 | 85,596 | 5,809 | 7,512 | 81,571 | 29.3 | 2.1 | -4.7 |

Table 27.--Hot-rolled alloy steel bar subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 540 | 1,180 | 540 | 540 | - | 895 | 1,180 | - | 65.7 | 118.5 |
| France | 298 | 678 | - | 298 | - | 413 | 678 | - | - | 127.5 |
| Italy | 363 | 569 | - | 363 | - | - | 569 | - | - | 56.7 |
| Netherlands | 532 | 479 | - | 532 | - | 387 | 479 | - | - | -10.0 |
| United Kingdom | 727 | 938 | 940 | 727 | 1,106 | 592 | 938 | -46.5 | -37.0 | 29.0 |
| West Germany | 810 | 589 | 738 | 810 | 611 | 398 | 589 | -34.9 | -46.1 | -27.3 |
| All other | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 657 | 798 | 807 | 657 | 911 | 507 | 798 | -44.3 | -37.2 | 21.5 |
| Brazil | 370 | 372 | 374 | 370 | 406 | 336 | 372 | -17.2 | -10.2 | 0.5 |
| Canada | 463 | 402 | 452 | 463 | 386 | 381 | 402 | -1.3 | -15.7 | -13.2 |
| Japan | 431 | 503 | 426 | 431 | 713 | 463 | 503 | -35.1 | 8.7 | 16.7 |
| Republic of Korea | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Spain | 377 | 359 | 360 | 377 | 292 | 312 | 359 | 6.8 | -13.3 | -4.8 |
| All other | 541 | 477 | 535 | 541 | 462 | 484 | 477 | 4.8 | -9.5 | -11.8 |
| Total, all sources | 449 | 436 | 435 | 449 | 410 | 407 | 436 | -0.7 | -6.4 | -2.9 |

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 28.--Carbon and alloy coated steel sheet and terne plate and sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 6,062,681 | 1,230,020 | 260,404 | 81,051 | 7,211,650 | 17.1 | 3.6 |
| 1983 | 7,379,785 | 2,062,560 | 276,377 | 96,715 | 9,345,630 | 22.1 | 3.0 |
| 1984 | 7,866,914 | 2,908,194 | 316,605 | 88,794 | 10,686,314 | 27.2 | 3.0 |
| 1985 | 8,668,748 | 2,642,811 | 420,696 | 73,145 | 11,238,414 | 23.5 | 3.7 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 2,039,173 | 746,556 | 76,775 | 22,347 | 2,763,382 | 27.0 | 2.8 |
| April-June | 2,119,111 | 631,695 | 53,031 | 21,216 | 2,729,590 | 23.1 | 1.9 |
| July-September | 1,890,943 | 836,736 | 83,201 | 22,890 | 2,704,789 | 31.0 | 3.1 |
| October-December | 1,819,949 | 693,206 | 103,598 | 22,341 | 2,490,814 | 27.8 | 4.2 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 2,094,697 | 707,210 | 108,012 | 19,836 | 2,702,071 | 25.4 | 3.9 |
| April-June | 2,231,905 | 677,100 | 102,156 | 20,552 | 2,888,452 | 23.4 | 3.5 |
| July-September | 2,152,544 | 669,394 | 109,964 | 16,476 | 2,805,462 | 23.9 | 3.9 |
| October-December | 2,175,201 | 589,107 | 100,564 | 16,280 | 2,748,028 | 21.4 | 3.7 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 527,331 | 207,390 | 40,731 | 8,890 | 725,831 | 28.6 | 5.6 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 737,872 | 252,517 | 41,861 | 7,701 | 982,688 | 25.7 | 4.3 |
| February | 640,046 | 241,006 | 37,405 | 6,586 | 874,466 | 27.6 | 4.3 |
| March | 724,556 | 213,687 | 28,746 | 5,549 | 932,694 | 22.9 | 3.1 |
| April | 729,769 | 217,830 | 20,795 | 5,227 | 942,372 | 23.1 | 2.2 |
| May | 763,667 | 214,061 | 36,728 | 9,576 | 969,150 | 22.1 | 3.8 |
| June | 736,967 | 245,209 | 44,634 | 6,748 | 975,428 | 25.1 | 4.6 |
| July | 692,315 | 157,072 | 19,236 | 5,442 | 843,945 | 18.6 | 2.3 |
| August | 728,188 | 209,568 | 26,163 | 5,382 | 932,374 | 22.5 | 2.8 |
| September | 732,041 | 302,754 | 64,565 | 5,652 | 1,029,143 | 29.4 | 6.3 |
| October | 766,223 | 127,671 | 17,370 | 6,227 | 887,667 | 14.4 | 2.0 |
| November | 703,301 | 174,735 | 16,795 | 6,020 | 872,016 | 20.0 | 1.9 |
| December | 705,677 | 286,701 | 66,399 | 4,032 | 988,346 | 29.0 | 6.7 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | 0.3 | 64.1 | 295.3 | -33.0 | 13.3 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 33.8 | 38.2 | 63.0 | -54.6 | 36.2 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 29.--Carbon and alloy coated steel sheet and terne plate and sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 17,005 | 18,346 | 2,686 | 17,005 | 732 | 2,221 | 18,346 | 203.4 | -17.3 | 7.9 |
| France | 67,658 | 103,161 | 10,480 | 67,658 | 2,911 | 13,561 | 103,161 | 365.9 | 29.4 | 52.5 |
| Italy | 24,321 | 33,338 | 6 | 24,321 | 283 | 2,347 | 33,338 | 729.3 | 1/ | 37.1 |
| Netherlands | 2,478 | 12,109 | 460 | 2,478 | 1,115 | 757 | 12,109 | -32.1 | 64.6 | 388.7 |
| United Kingdom | 5,675 | 13,296 | 0 | 5,675 | 23 | 1,913 | 13,296 | 1/ | - | 134.3 |
| West Germany | 199,431 | 240,260 | 27,100 | 199,431 | 11,720 | 45,600 | 240,260 | 289.1 | 68.3 | 20.5 |
| All other | 36 | 187 | 0 | 36 | 11 | 0 | 187 | -100.0 | - | 419.4 |
| Subtotal, EC | 316,605 | 420,696 | 40,731 | 316,605 | 16,795 | 66,399 | 420,696 | 295.3 | 63.0 | 32.9 |
| Brazil | 28,840 | 15,866 | 0 | 28,840 | 1,499 | 1,122 | 15,866 | -25.2 | - | -45.0 |
| Canada | 291,467 | 260,872 | 22,203 | 291,467 | 13,652 | 19,909 | 260,872 | 46.0 | -10.3 | -10.5 |
| Japan | 1,587,438 | 1,372,688 | 115,970 | 1,587,438 | 76,466 | 130,298 | 1,372,688 | 70.4 | 12.4 | -13.5 |
| Republic of Korea | 173,008 | 154,152 | 7,840 | 173,008 | 9,623 | 10,440 | 154,152 | 8.5 | 33.2 | -10.9 |
| Spain | 92,455 | 28,703 | 0 | 92,455 | 8,978 | 13,670 | 28,703 | 52.3 | - | -69.0 |
| All other | 418,382 | 389,835 | 20,647 | 418,382 | 47,742 | 44,864 | 389,835 | -6.0 | 117.3 | -6.8 |
| Total, all sources | 2,908,194 | 2,642,811 | 207,390 | 2,908,194 | 174,735 | 286,701 | 2,642,811 | 64.1 | 38.2 | -9.1 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 6,817 | 7,793 | 1,193 | 6,817 | 549 | 856 | 7,793 | 55.9 | -28.2 | 14.3 |
| France | 32,280 | 48,223 | 5,166 | 32,280 | 1,391 | 6,262 | 48,223 | 350.2 | 21.2 | 49.4 |
| Italy | 10,405 | 13,595 | 7 | 10,405 | 102 | 905 | 13,595 | 787.3 | 1/ | 30.7 |
| Netherlands | 1,347 | 5,795 | 238 | 1,347 | 520 | 374 | 5,795 | -28.1 | 57.1 | 330.2 |
| United Kingdom | 3,029 | 5,928 | 0 | 3,029 | 16 | 822 | 5,928 | 1/ | - | 95.7 |
| West Germany | 90,422 | 109,241 | 12,713 | 90,422 | 5,397 | 21,242 | 109,241 | 293.6 | 67.1 | 20.8 |
| All other | 15 | 67 | 0 | 15 | 5 | 0 | 67 | -100.0 | - | 346.7 |
| Subtotal, EC | 144,315 | 190,641 | 19,316 | 144,315 | 7,980 | 30,460 | 190,641 | 281.7 | 57.7 | 32.1 |
| Brazil | 8,301 | 5,387 | 0 | 8,301 | 548 | 428 | 5,387 | -21.9 | - | -35.1 |
| Canada | 135,421 | 117,465 | 10,606 | 135,421 | 6,028 | 9,207 | 117,465 | 52.7 | -13.2 | -13.3 |
| Japan | 768,315 | 683,363 | 57,805 | 768,315 | 37,774 | 64,165 | 683,363 | 69.9 | 11.0 | -11.1 |
| Republic of Korea | 72,748 | 69,978 | 3,992 | 72,748 | 4,251 | 4,693 | 69,978 | 10.4 | 17.6 | -3.8 |
| Spain | 32,536 | 10,532 | 0 | 32,536 | 3,408 | 4,815 | 10,532 | 41.3 | - | -67.6 |
| All other | 166,709 | 159,903 | 8,178 | 166,709 | 16,554 | 18,172 | 159,903 | -2.1 | 122.2 | -4.1 |
| Total, all sources | 1,328,345 | 1,237,270 | 99,897 | 1,328,345 | 78,544 | 131,941 | 1,237,270 | 68.0 | 32.1 | -6.9 |

See footnote at end of table.

Table 29.--Carbon and alloy coated steel sheet and terne plate and sheet subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 401 | 425 | 444 | 401 | 750 | 385 | 425 | -48.7 | -13.3 | 6.0 |
| France | 477 | 467 | 493 | 477 | 478 | 462 | 467 | -3.3 | -6.3 | -2.1 |
| Italy | 428 | 408 | 1,093 | 428 | 362 | 386 | 408 | 6.6 | -64.7 | -4.7 |
| Netherlands | 544 | 479 | 516 | 544 | 466 | 494 | 479 | 6.0 | -4.6 | -11.9 |
| United Kingdom | 534 | 446 | - | 534 | 684 | 430 | 446 | -37.1 | - | -16.5 |
| West Germany | 463 | 455 | 469 | 453 | 461 | 466 | 455 | 1.1 | -0.6 | 0.4 |
| All other | 418 | 357 | - | 418 | 424 | - | 357 | - | - | -14.6 |
| Subtotal, EC | 456 | 437 | 474 | 456 | 475 | 459 | 453 | -3.4 | -3.2 | -0.7 |
| Brazil | 288 | 340 | - | 288 | 365 | 381 | 340 | 4.4 | - | 18.1 |
| Canada | 465 | 450 | 478 | 465 | 442 | 462 | 450 | 4.5 | -3.3 | -3.2 |
| Japan | 484 | 498 | 498 | 484 | 494 | 492 | 498 | -0.4 | -1.2 | 2.9 |
| Republic of Korea | 420 | 454 | 509 | 420 | 442 | 450 | 454 | 1.8 | -11.6 | 8.1 |
| Spain | 352 | 367 | - | 352 | 380 | 352 | 367 | -7.4 | - | 4.3 |
| All other | 398 | 410 | 396 | 398 | 389 | 405 | 410 | 4.1 | 2.3 | 3.0 |
| Total, all sources | 457 | 468 | 482 | 457 | 450 | 460 | 468 | 2.2 | -4.6 | 2.4 |

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 30.--Tin plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 3,018,030 | 216,240 | 82,902 | 226,472 | 3,007,798 | 7.2 | 2.8 |
| 1983 | 2,924,846 | 290,535 | 80,020 | 170,057 | 3,045,324 | 9.5 | 2.6 |
| 1984 | 2,765,060 | 355,777 | 72,159 | 121,471 | 2,999,366 | 11.9 | 2.4 |
| 1985 | 2,610,998 | 398,346 | 65,238 | 130,027 | 2,879,317 | 13.8 | 2.3 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 647,907 | 84,439 | 18,973 | 32,242 | 700,104 | 12.1 | 2.7 |
| April-June | 709,748 | 90,808 | 15,822 | 31,528 | 769,028 | 11.8 | 2.0 |
| July-September | 732,731 | 89,443 | 21,533 | 29,623 | 792,551 | 11.3 | 2.7 |
| October-December | 633,236 | 91,086 | 15,832 | 28,078 | 696,244 | 12.9 | 2.3 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 634,261 | 112,193 | 15,514 | 30,483 | 715,971 | 15.7 | 2.2 |
| April-June | 673,483 | 116,361 | 14,671 | 34,429 | 755,415 | 15.4 | 1.9 |
| July-September | 685,887 | 94,617 | 17,317 | 31,285 | 749,219 | 12.6 | 2.3 |
| October-December | 616,763 | 75,174 | 17,736 | 33,828 | 658,109 | 11.4 | 2.7 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 233,356 | 32,209 | 7,258 | 11,583 | 253,982 | 12.7 | 2.9 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 215,678 | 44,692 | 2,993 | 5,842 | 254,528 | 17.6 | 1.2 |
| February | 201,995 | 26,401 | 3,451 | 14,089 | 214,307 | 12.3 | 1.6 |
| March | 216,588 | 41,100 | 9,070 | 10,552 | 247,136 | 16.6 | 3.7 |
| April | 213,275 | 38,401 | 3,083 | 9,808 | 241,869 | 15.9 | 1.3 |
| May | 225,046 | 28,056 | 2,732 | 12,098 | 241,004 | 11.7 | 1.1 |
| June | 235,151 | 49,905 | 8,856 | 12,523 | 272,533 | 18.3 | 3.2 |
| July | 222,017 | 30,509 | 3,982 | 9,184 | 243,342 | 12.5 | 1.6 |
| August | 244,861 | 27,338 | 6,376 | 13,866 | 258,333 | 10.6 | 2.5 |
| September | 219,009 | 36,770 | 6,959 | 8,235 | 247,544 | 14.9 | 2.8 |
| October | 203,426 | 14,558 | 2,429 | 9,013 | 208,971 | 7.0 | 1.2 |
| November | 171,293 | 25,630 | 3,605 | 7,965 | 188,958 | 13.6 | 1.9 |
| December | 242,044 | 34,986 | 11,702 | 16,850 | 260,180 | 13.4 | 4.5 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | 41.3 | 36.5 | 224.6 | 111.6 | 37.7 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 3.7 | 8.6 | 61.2 | 45.5 | 2.4 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 31.--Tin plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 3,942 | 3,944 | 695 | 3,942 | 825 | 310 | 3,944 | -62.4 | -55.4 | 0.1 |
| France | 26,087 | 18,280 | 2,021 | 26,087 | 527 | 1,464 | 18,280 | 177.8 | -27.6 | -29.9 |
| Italy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Netherlands | 10,102 | 8,270 | 331 | 10,102 | 255 | 0 | 8,270 | -100.0 | -100.0 | -18.1 |
| United Kingdom | 702 | 1,746 | 0 | 702 | 44 | 0 | 1,746 | -100.0 | - | 148.7 |
| West Germany | 31,327 | 32,998 | 4,212 | 31,327 | 1,954 | 9,928 | 32,998 | 408.1 | 135.7 | 5.3 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 72,159 | 65,238 | 7,258 | 72,159 | 3,605 | 11,702 | 65,238 | 224.6 | 61.2 | -9.6 |
| Brazil | 0 | 1,107 | 0 | 0 | 372 | 223 | 1,107 | -40.1 | - | - |
| Canada | 40,185 | 45,899 | 3,579 | 40,185 | 5,898 | 4,088 | 45,899 | -30.7 | 14.2 | 14.2 |
| Japan | 209,603 | 250,470 | 19,761 | 209,603 | 14,292 | 15,423 | 250,470 | 7.9 | -22.0 | 19.5 |
| Republic of Korea | 7,760 | 8,558 | 353 | 7,760 | 256 | 104 | 8,558 | -59.4 | -70.5 | 10.3 |
| Spain | 898 | 1,594 | 23 | 898 | 0 | 320 | 1,594 | - | 1/ | 77.5 |
| All other | 25,172 | 25,479 | 1,236 | 25,172 | 1,207 | 3,126 | 25,479 | 159.0 | 152.9 | 1.2 |
| Total, all sources | 355,777 | 398,346 | 32,209 | 355,777 | 25,630 | 34,986 | 398,346 | 36.5 | 8.6 | 12.0 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 2,072 | 2,092 | 357 | 2,072 | 387 | 186 | 2,092 | -51.9 | -47.9 | 1.0 |
| France | 15,075 | 11,186 | 1,113 | 15,075 | 358 | 865 | 11,186 | 141.6 | -22.3 | -25.8 |
| Italy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Netherlands | 6,231 | 5,466 | 245 | 6,231 | 554 | 0 | 5,466 | -100.0 | -100.0 | -12.3 |
| United Kingdom | 300 | 588 | 0 | 300 | 43 | 0 | 588 | -100.0 | - | 96.0 |
| West Germany | 18,213 | 18,866 | 2,552 | 18,213 | 1,313 | 5,341 | 18,866 | 306.8 | 109.3 | 3.6 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 41,890 | 38,198 | 4,267 | 41,890 | 2,655 | 6,392 | 38,198 | 140.8 | 49.8 | -8.8 |
| Brazil | 0 | 546 | 0 | 0 | 176 | 107 | 546 | -39.2 | - | - |
| Canada | 20,627 | 20,844 | 1,768 | 20,627 | 2,268 | 1,750 | 20,844 | -22.8 | -1.0 | 1.1 |
| Japan | 119,811 | 135,364 | 10,571 | 119,811 | 8,030 | 8,180 | 135,364 | 1.9 | -22.6 | 13.0 |
| Republic of Korea | 3,912 | 4,576 | 191 | 3,912 | 133 | 54 | 4,576 | -59.4 | -71.7 | 17.0 |
| Spain | 414 | 796 | 11 | 414 | 0 | 159 | 796 | - | 1/ | 92.3 |
| All other | 8,076 | 11,588 | 644 | 8,076 | 549 | 1,415 | 11,588 | 157.7 | 119.7 | 43.5 |
| Total, all sources | 194,730 | 211,913 | 17,451 | 194,730 | 13,810 | 18,056 | 211,913 | 30.7 | 3.5 | 8.8 |

See footnote at end of table.

Table 31.--Tin plate subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 526 | 530 | 515 | 526 | 470 | 600 | 530 | 27.7 | 16.5 | 0.8 |
| France | 578 | 612 | 550 | 578 | 679 | 591 | 612 | -13.0 | 7.5 | 5.9 |
| Italy | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Net erlands | 617 | 661 | 740 | 617 | 2,176 | - | 661 | - | - | 7.1 |
| United Kingdom | 427 | 337 | - | 427 | 974 | - | 337 | - | - | -21.1 |
| West Germany | 581 | 572 | 606 | 581 | 672 | 538 | 572 | -19.9 | -11.2 | -1.5 |
| All other | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 581 | 586 | 588 | 581 | 737 | 546 | 586 | -25.9 | -7.1 | 0.9 |
| Brazil | - | 493 | - | - | 472 | 481 | 493 | 1.9 | - | - |
| Canada | 513 | 454 | 494 | 513 | 384 | 428 | 454 | 11.5 | -13.4 | -11.5 |
| Japan | 572 | 540 | 535 | 572 | 562 | 530 | 540 | -5.7 | -0.9 | -5.6 |
| Republic of Korea | 504 | 535 | 541 | 504 | 518 | 515 | 535 | -0.6 | -4.3 | 6.2 |
| Spain | 461 | 499 | 490 | 461 | - | 496 | 499 | - | 1.2 | 8.2 |
| All other | 321 | 455 | 521 | 321 | 455 | 453 | 455 | -0.4 | -13.1 | 41.7 |
| Total, all sources | 547 | 532 | 542 | 547 | 539 | 516 | 532 | -4.3 | -4.8 | -2.7 |

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 32.--Carbon and alloy steel rails subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 517,073 | 255,008 | 147,888 | 28,924 | 743,157 | 34.3 | 19.9 |
| 1983 | 611,070 | 107,471 | 46,541 | 9,216 | 709,325 | 15.2 | 6.6 |
| 1984 | 964,506 | 236,694 | 88,770 | 11,141 | 1,190,059 | 19.9 | 7.5 |
| 1985 | 691,383 | 248,484 | 83,724 | 6,570 | 933,297 | 26.6 | 9.0 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 262,886 | 61,592 | 27,377 | 1,622 | 322,856 | 19.1 | 8.5 |
| April-June | 240,745 | 53,997 | 16,648 | 1,439 | 293,303 | 18.4 | 5.6 |
| July-September | 230,683 | 58,053 | 18,544 | 2,435 | 286,301 | 20.3 | 6.5 |
| October-December | 227,690 | 63,052 | 26,201 | 5,645 | 285,097 | 22.1 | 9.2 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 222,900 | 72,346 | 30,343 | 897 | 294,349 | 24.6 | 12.3 |
| April-June | 211,606 | 61,385 | 16,979 | 1,570 | 271,421 | 22.6 | 6.3 |
| July-September | 132,033 | 51,776 | 12,667 | 2,815 | 180,994 | 28.6 | 7.0 |
| October-December | 134,006 | 62,976 | 17,734 | 1,288 | 195,694 | 32.2 | 9.1 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 66,707 | 24,184 | 13,448 | 687 | 90,204 | 26.8 | 14.9 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 76,814 | 24,470 | 10,830 | 169 | 101,115 | 24.2 | 10.7 |
| February | 70,526 | 28,952 | 14,952 | 322 | 99,156 | 29.2 | 15.1 |
| March | 75,560 | 18,924 | 10,561 | 406 | 94,078 | 20.1 | 11.2 |
| April | 77,545 | 14,726 | 7,647 | 349 | 91,922 | 16.0 | 8.3 |
| May | 68,686 | 14,567 | 1,337 | 267 | 82,986 | 17.6 | 1.6 |
| June | 65,375 | 32,092 | 7,995 | 954 | 96,513 | 33.3 | 8.3 |
| July | 49,795 | 20,472 | 5,453 | 475 | 69,792 | 29.3 | 7.8 |
| August | 44,320 | 18,133 | 5,915 | 1,658 | 60,795 | 29.8 | 9.7 |
| September | 37,918 | 13,171 | 1,299 | 682 | 50,407 | 26.1 | 2.6 |
| October | 41,880 | 13,534 | 4,423 | 418 | 54,996 | 24.6 | 8.0 |
| November | 40,943 | 20,881 | 5,843 | 703 | 61,121 | 34.2 | 9.6 |
| December | 51,183 | 28,561 | 7,468 | 167 | 79,577 | 35.9 | 9.4 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | 25.0 | 36.8 | 27.8 | -76.2 | 30.2 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | -23.3 | 18.1 | -44.5 | -75.7 | -11.8 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 33.--Carbon and alloy steel rails subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 10,897 | 12,964 | 1,264 | 10,897 | 1,004 | 2,418 | 12,964 | 140.8 | 91.3 | 19.0 |
| France | 27,528 | 17,557 | 3,128 | 27,528 | 0 | 0 | 17,557 | - | -100.0 | -36.2 |
| Italy | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | - | - | - |
| Netherlands | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| United Kingdom | 3,074 | 5,825 | 0 | 3,074 | 0 | 50 | 5,825 | - | - | 89.5 |
| West Germany | 47,271 | 47,374 | 9,056 | 47,271 | 4,839 | 4,999 | 47,374 | 3.3 | -44.8 | 0.2 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 88,770 | 83,724 | 13,448 | 88,770 | 5,843 | 7,468 | 83,724 | 27.8 | -44.5 | -5.7 |
| Brazil | 6 | 420 | 0 | 6 | 18 | 0 | 420 | -100.0 | - | 1/ |
| Canada | 53,096 | 50,037 | 1,866 | 53,096 | 5,938 | 8,188 | 50,037 | 37.9 | 338.8 | -5.8 |
| Japan | 86,487 | 106,593 | 8,298 | 86,487 | 7,652 | 11,755 | 106,593 | 53.6 | 41.7 | 23.2 |
| Republic of Korea | 7,821 | 4,179 | 572 | 7,821 | 547 | 482 | 4,179 | -11.9 | -15.7 | -46.6 |
| Spain | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| All other | 515 | 3,531 | 0 | 515 | 883 | 668 | 3,531 | -24.3 | - | 585.6 |
| Total, all sources | 236,694 | 248,484 | 24,184 | 236,694 | 20,881 | 28,561 | 248,484 | 36.8 | 18.1 | 5.0 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 4,416 | 5,333 | 563 | 4,416 | 447 | 909 | 5,333 | 103.4 | 61.5 | 20.8 |
| France | 9,313 | 6,511 | 1,168 | 9,313 | 0 | 0 | 6,511 | - | -100.0 | -30.1 |
| Italy | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 12 | - | - | - |
| Netherlands | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| United Kingdom | 941 | 1,934 | 0 | 941 | 0 | 15 | 1,934 | - | - | 105.5 |
| West Germany | 16,279 | 18,096 | 3,295 | 16,279 | 1,824 | 1,827 | 18,096 | 0.2 | -44.6 | 11.2 |
| All other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 30,952 | 31,886 | 5,026 | 30,952 | 2,271 | 2,753 | 31,886 | 21.2 | -45.2 | 3.0 |
| Brazil | 3 | 227 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 0 | 227 | -100.0 | - | 1/ |
| Canada | 8,968 | 7,715 | 289 | 8,968 | 734 | 951 | 7,715 | 29.6 | 229.1 | -14.0 |
| Japan | 36,612 | 50,690 | 3,286 | 36,612 | 3,652 | 5,234 | 50,690 | 43.3 | 59.3 | 38.5 |
| Republic of Korea | 2,550 | 1,515 | 192 | 2,550 | 182 | 167 | 1,515 | -8.2 | -13.0 | -40.6 |
| Spain | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| All other | 173 | 1,188 | 0 | 173 | 318 | 172 | 1,188 | -45.9 | - | 586.7 |
| Total, all sources | 79,259 | 93,221 | 8,792 | 79,259 | 7,167 | 9,277 | 93,221 | 29.4 | 5.5 | 17.6 |

See footnote at end of table.

Table 33.--Carbon and alloy steel rails subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 405 | 411 | 445 | 405 | 445 | 376 | 411 | -15.5 | -15.5 | 1.5 |
| France | 338 | 371 | 373 | 338 | - | - | 371 | - | - | 9.8 |
| Italy | - | 3,211 | - | - | - | 1,602 | 3,211 | - | - | - |
| Netherlands | 4,545 | - | - | 4,545 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 306 | 332 | - | 306 | - | 300 | 332 | - | - | 8.5 |
| West Germany | 344 | 382 | 364 | 344 | 377 | 366 | 382 | -2.9 | 0.5 | 11.0 |
| All other | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 349 | 381 | 374 | 349 | 389 | 369 | 381 | -5.1 | -1.3 | 9.2 |
| Brazil | 562 | 540 | - | 562 | 560 | - | 540 | - | - | -3.9 |
| Canada | 169 | 154 | 155 | 169 | 124 | 116 | 154 | -6.5 | -25.2 | -8.9 |
| Japan | 423 | 476 | 396 | 423 | 477 | 445 | 476 | -6.7 | 12.4 | 12.5 |
| Republic of Korea | 326 | 363 | 335 | 326 | 332 | 348 | 363 | 4.8 | 3.9 | 11.3 |
| Spain | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| All other | 337 | 337 | - | 337 | 360 | 257 | 337 | -28.6 | - | 0.0 |
| Total, all sources | 335 | 375 | 364 | 335 | 343 | 325 | 375 | -5.2 | -10.7 | 11.9 |

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 34.--Carbon and alloy steel sheet piling subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: 1/ U.S. producers' shipments, imports for consumption, exports of domestic merchandise, and apparent consumption, 1981-84, and by specified periods, 1983, 1984, and 1985

| Period | Producers' shipments | Imports | | Exports | Apparent consumption | Ratio of imports to consumption | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | Total | From EC | | | Total | From EC |
| | Short tons | | | | | Percent | |
| 1982 | 249,975 | 114,863 | 89,950 | 5,623 | 359,215 | 32.0 | 25.0 |
| 1983 | 257,971 | 69,050 | 59,259 | 2,097 | 324,924 | 21.3 | 18.2 |
| 1984 | 287,867 | 80,708 | 73,192 | 3,354 | 365,221 | 22.1 | 20.0 |
| 1985 | 325,519 | 102,790 | 90,007 | 628 | 427,681 | 24.0 | 21.0 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 72,461 | 15,264 | 13,814 | 2,872 | 84,853 | 18.0 | 16.3 |
| April-June | 85,632 | 12,667 | 9,849 | 397 | 97,902 | 12.9 | 10.0 |
| July-September | 63,971 | 27,747 | 26,272 | 37 | 91,681 | 30.3 | 28.7 |
| October-December | 63,020 | 25,030 | 23,258 | 48 | 88,002 | 28.4 | 26.4 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January-March | 63,203 | 23,259 | 22,392 | 64 | 86,398 | 26.9 | 25.9 |
| April-June | 68,110 | 21,971 | 20,197 | 284 | 89,797 | 24.5 | 22.5 |
| July-September | 96,083 | 29,468 | 26,234 | 127 | 125,424 | 23.5 | 20.9 |
| October-December | 98,123 | 28,092 | 21,185 | 153 | 126,062 | 22.3 | 16.8 |
| 1984: | | | | | | | |
| December | 16,610 | 8,895 | 8,285 | 0 | 25,505 | 34.9 | 32.5 |
| 1985: | | | | | | | |
| January | 20,165 | 9,139 | 8,955 | 0 | 29,244 | 31.3 | 30.6 |
| February | 19,023 | 7,905 | 7,632 | 22 | 26,906 | 29.4 | 28.4 |
| March | 24,075 | 6,216 | 5,805 | 42 | 30,249 | 20.5 | 19.2 |
| April | 22,069 | 3,359 | 3,079 | 276 | 25,152 | 13.4 | 12.2 |
| May | 21,997 | 9,433 | 9,073 | 8 | 31,422 | 30.0 | 28.9 |
| June | 24,044 | 9,179 | 8,044 | 0 | 33,223 | 27.6 | 24.2 |
| July | 28,487 | 7,602 | 6,455 | 127 | 35,962 | 21.1 | 17.9 |
| August | 34,569 | 6,043 | 5,066 | 0 | 40,612 | 14.9 | 12.5 |
| September | 33,027 | 15,823 | 14,713 | 0 | 48,850 | 32.4 | 30.1 |
| October | 36,629 | 7,686 | 5,470 | 0 | 44,315 | 17.3 | 12.3 |
| November | 31,985 | 8,746 | 6,581 | 36 | 40,695 | 21.5 | 16.2 |
| December | 29,509 | 11,660 | 9,134 | 117 | 41,052 | 28.4 | 22.2 |
| Percentage change: | | | | | | | |
| Dec. 1985/Nov. 1985 | -7.7 | 33.3 | 38.8 | 225.0 | 0.9 | - | - |
| Dec. 1985/Dec. 1984 | 77.7 | 31.1 | 10.2 | 100.0 | 61.0 | - | - |

1/ Arrangement Concerning Trade in Certain Steel Products effective in October 1982.

Source: Compiled from data of the American Iron & Steel Institute and official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 35.--Carbon and alloy steel sheet piling subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Quantity | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 24,687 | 32,569 | 3,447 | 24,687 | 2,861 | 5,427 | 32,569 | 89.7 | 57.4 | 31.9 |
| France | 18,074 | 20,678 | 1,153 | 18,074 | 2,041 | 858 | 20,678 | -58.0 | -25.6 | 14.4 |
| Italy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Netherlands | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 9,206 | 14,028 | 1,386 | 9,206 | 490 | 1,100 | 14,028 | 124.5 | -20.6 | 52.4 |
| West Germany | 21,224 | 22,664 | 2,299 | 21,224 | 1,189 | 1,749 | 22,664 | 47.1 | -23.9 | 6.8 |
| All other | 0 | 69 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 69 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 73,192 | 90,007 | 8,285 | 73,192 | 6,581 | 9,134 | 90,007 | 38.8 | 10.2 | 23.0 |
| Brazil | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Canada | 7,412 | 12,115 | 610 | 7,412 | 2,165 | 1,900 | 12,115 | -12.2 | 211.5 | 63.5 |
| Japan | 29 | 626 | 0 | 29 | 0 | 626 | 626 | - | - | 1/ |
| Republic of Korea | 76 | 0 | 0 | 76 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| Spain | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| All other | 0 | 42 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 42 | - | - | - |
| Total, all sources | 80,708 | 102,790 | 8,895 | 80,708 | 8,746 | 11,660 | 102,790 | 33.3 | 31.1 | 27.4 |
| | Value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 9,370 | 12,267 | 1,381 | 9,370 | 1,134 | 2,244 | 12,267 | 97.9 | 62.5 | 30.9 |
| France | 6,863 | 6,930 | 428 | 6,863 | 672 | 276 | 6,930 | -58.9 | -35.5 | 1.0 |
| Italy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Netherlands | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 3,046 | 4,560 | 460 | 3,046 | 148 | 333 | 4,560 | 125.0 | -27.6 | 49.7 |
| West Germany | 8,038 | 8,552 | 956 | 8,038 | 427 | 705 | 8,552 | 65.1 | -26.3 | 6.4 |
| All other | 0 | 44 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 44 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 27,317 | 32,353 | 3,225 | 27,317 | 2,380 | 3,557 | 32,353 | 49.5 | 10.3 | 18.4 |
| Brazil | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| Canada | 3,518 | 5,249 | 298 | 3,518 | 946 | 819 | 5,249 | -13.4 | 174.8 | 49.2 |
| Japan | 7 | 218 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 218 | 218 | - | - | 1/ |
| Republic of Korea | 20 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | -100.0 |
| Spain | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | - | - | - |
| All other | 0 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 | - | - | - |
| Total, all sources | 30,862 | 37,837 | 3,523 | 30,862 | 3,327 | 4,595 | 37,837 | 38.1 | 30.4 | 22.6 |

See footnote at end of table.

Table 35.--Carbon and alloy steel sheet piling subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement: U.S. imports for consumption from EC countries and other selected sources, 1984, 1985, and by specified periods, 1984 and 1985--Continued

(Quantity in short tons; value in thousands of dollars; unit value in dollars per short ton)

| Source | 1984 | 1985 | 1984 | | 1985 | | | Percentage change | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Dec. | Year to date | Nov. | Dec. | Year to date | (6) from (5) | (6) from (3) | (7) from (4) |
| | (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) | (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) |
| | Unit value | | | | | | | | | |
| EC countries: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Belgium/Luxembourg | 380 | 377 | 401 | 380 | 396 | 413 | 377 | 4.3 | 3.0 | -0.8 |
| France | 380 | 335 | 371 | 380 | 329 | 322 | 335 | -2.1 | -13.2 | -11.8 |
| Italy | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Netherlands | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| United Kingdom | 331 | 325 | 332 | 331 | 302 | 302 | 325 | 0.0 | -9.0 | -1.8 |
| West Germany | 379 | 377 | 416 | 379 | 359 | 403 | 377 | 12.3 | -3.1 | -0.5 |
| All other | - | 640 | - | - | - | - | 640 | - | - | - |
| Subtotal, EC | 373 | 359 | 389 | 373 | 362 | 389 | 359 | 7.5 | 0.0 | -3.8 |
| Brazil | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Canada | 475 | 433 | 489 | 475 | 437 | 431 | 433 | -1.4 | -11.9 | -8.8 |
| Japan | 242 | 349 | - | 242 | - | 349 | 349 | - | - | 44.2 |
| Republic of Korea | 267 | - | - | 267 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Spain | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| All other | - | 416 | - | - | - | - | 416 | - | - | - |
| Total, all sources | 382 | 368 | 396 | 382 | 380 | 394 | 368 | 3.7 | -0.5 | -3.7 |

1/ Percentage change exceeds +999.9.

Source: Compiled from official statistics of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Table 36.--Composite prices for finished steel products and prices for selected steel products subject to the U.S.-EC Arrangement 1/

| Product | December 1985 | Percentage change, December from November | Previous price | Date of change | October 1982 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Composite 2/ | $552 | - | $548 | 8/84 | $506 |
| Hot-rolled sheet, 0.075 inch thick | 475 | - | 441 | 8/83 | 416 |
| Cold-rolled sheet, class 1 | 563 | - | 523 | 8/83 | 493 |
| Carbon grade plate | 515 | - | 485 | 8/83 | 485 |
| Standard structurals | 478 | - | 3/ | 3/ | 478 |
| Wire rod | 447 | - | 3/ | 3/ | 447 |
| Hot-rolled carbon bar (special quality) | 516 | - | 479 | 2/83 | 479 |
| Galvanized, hot-dipped sheet | 606 | - | 560 | 2/83 | 543 |
| Tin plate, single reduced electrolytic, 0.25 pound 4/ | 876 | - | 838 | 10/84 | 797 |
| Standard rails, No. 1 | 5/ | - | 3/ | 3/ | 487 |
| Sheet piling | 5/ | - | 3/ | 3/ | 529 |

1/ Mill base list prices, transaction prices are likely to differ. Prices shown for December 1985, most recent month in which price changes occurred, and October 1982.

2/ Prices based on weighted index of steel bar, shapes, plate, wire, rail, black pipe, and hot- and cold-rolled sheet and strip.

3/ Price unchanged since October 1982.

4/ Tin plate prices are quoted by the base box. These prices are converted to a per ton basis assuming a base box weight of 70 pounds.

5/ Not available.

Source: Iron Age (various issues), and American Metal Market (various issues).